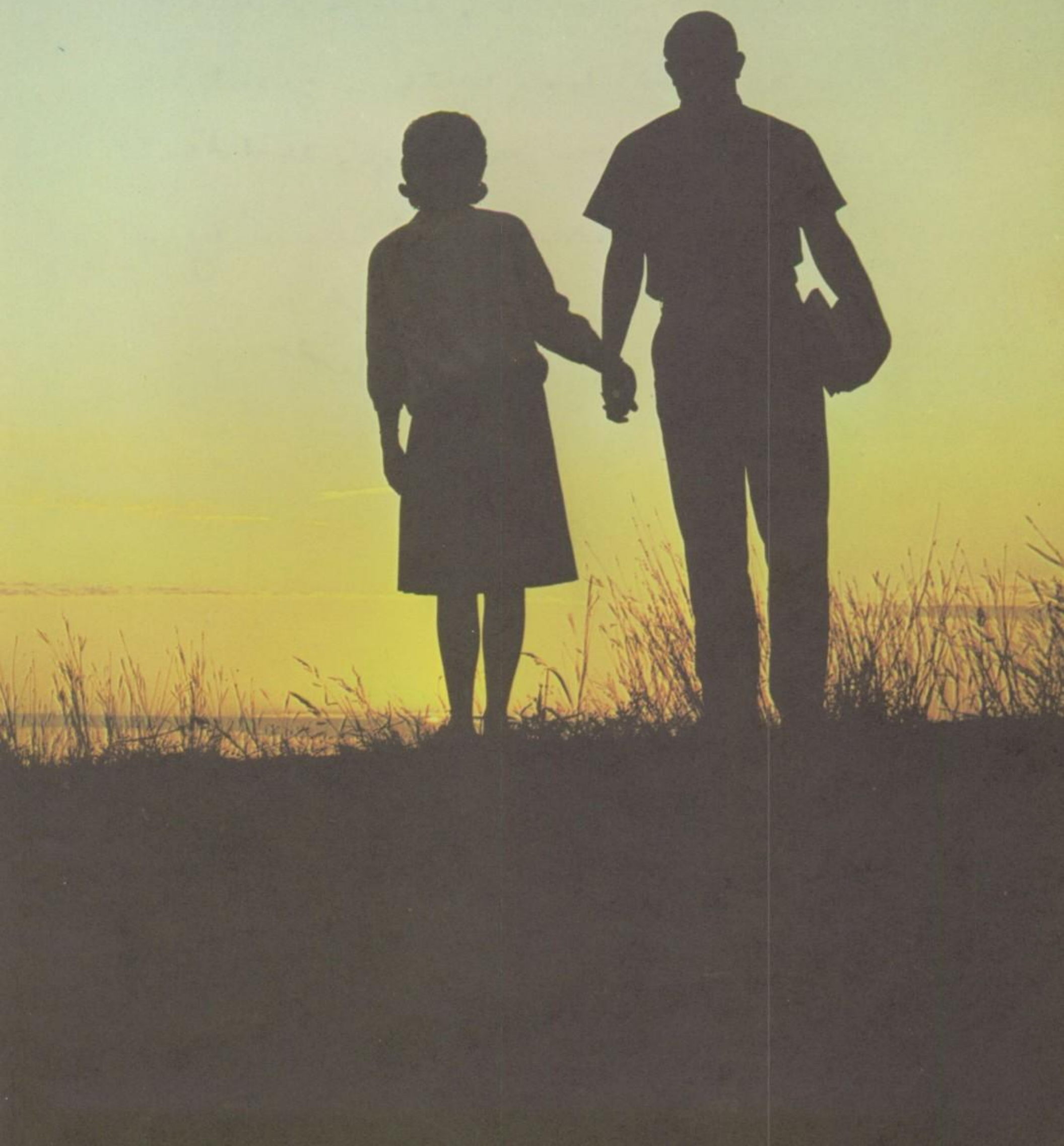


1965

PALMETTO



Bill Norris



Bill,

I think of you everytime speech is mentioned,
I don't think I could have stood this
class if it hadn't been for you. We've
had some stimulating talks, and I've decided
that you're a good boy with a great
future, I'll miss you next yr, and I'm
sure you'll have a successful senior year

I won't
tell a soul
any of your
secrets.

Love,
Jido

The Palmetto of **1965**



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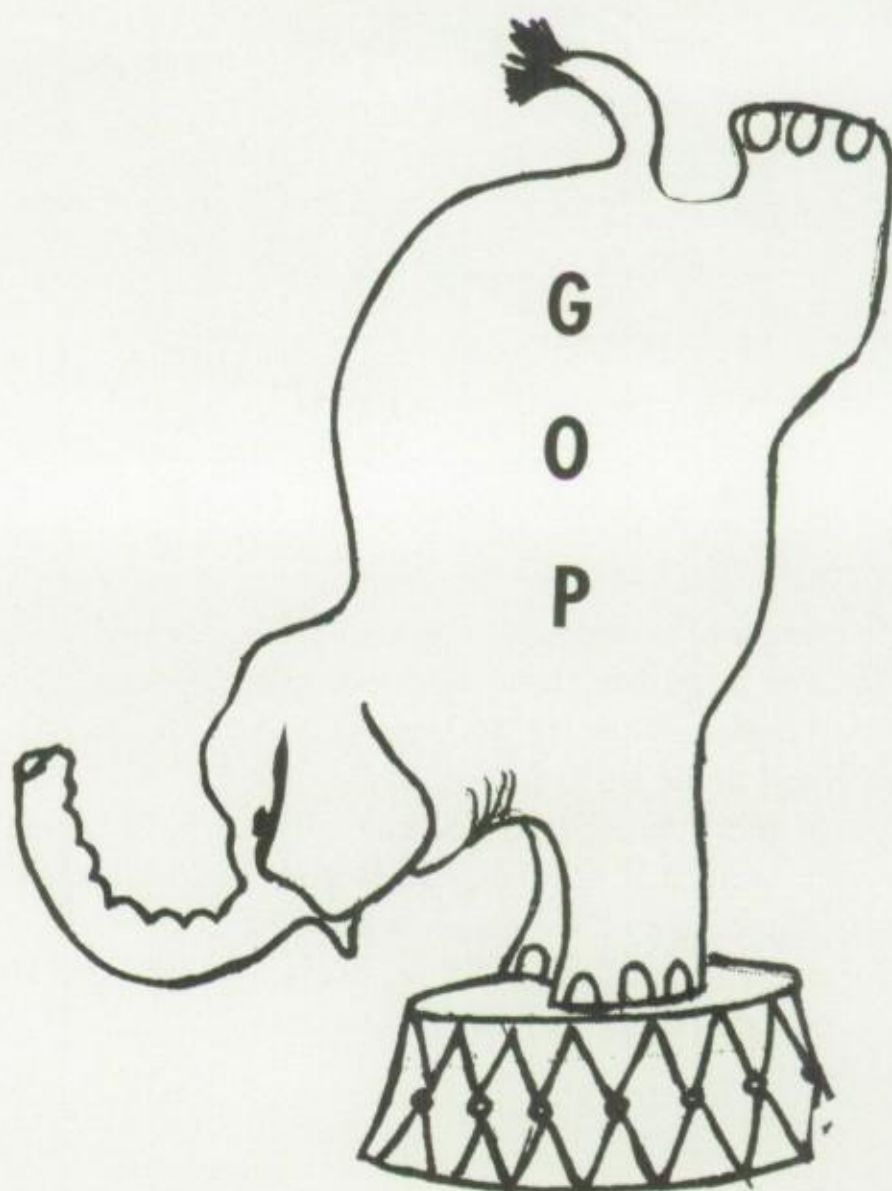
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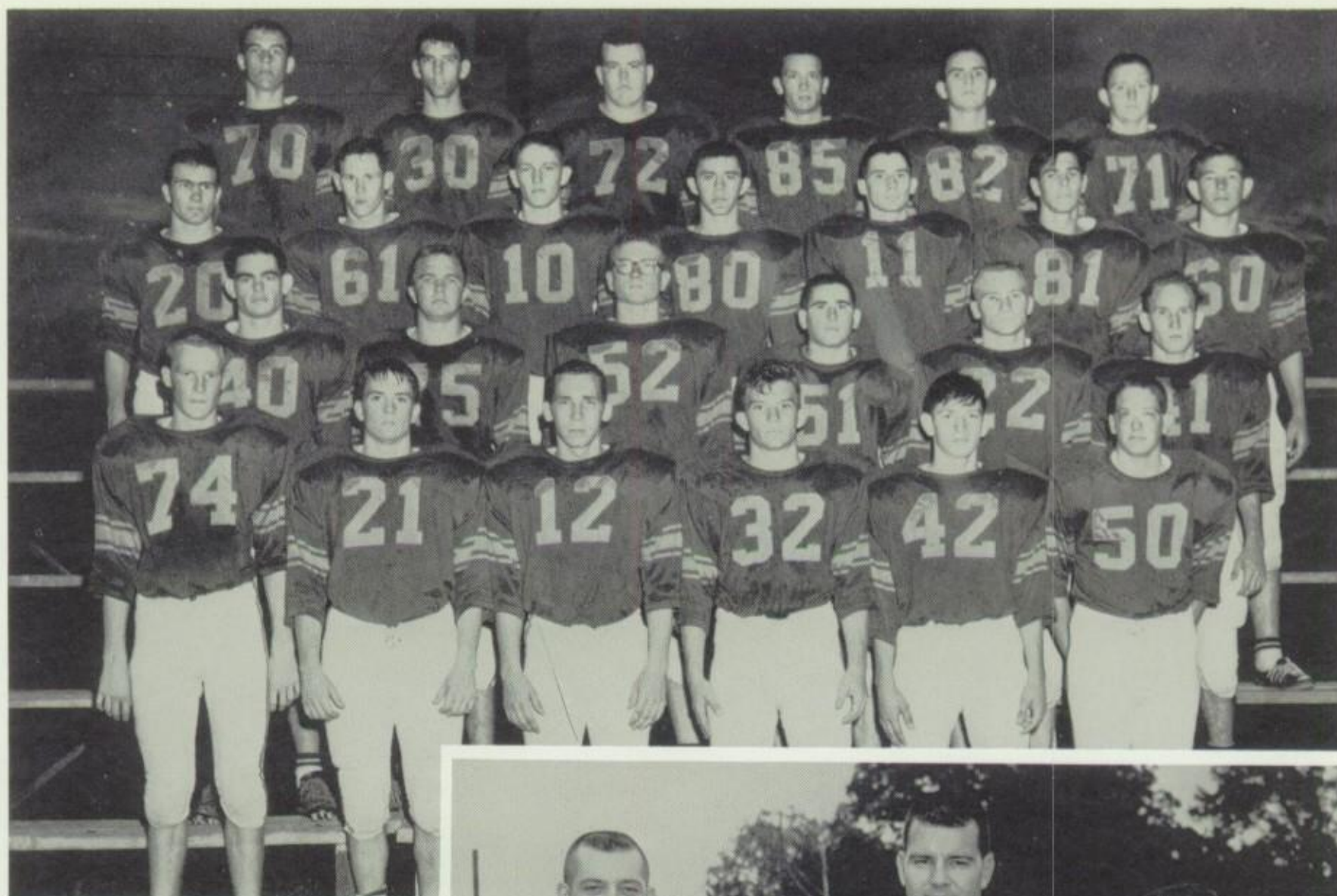
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Dedication

was the key to the spirit of the Rayville Hornet's football team during the 1964 season. The boys practiced long, hard hours during the weeks in order to meet their opponents with determination on Friday nights. Coaches Soulis, Beard, and Clark encouraged the boys to do their best with their pep talks and their willingness to share rough workouts. After each game, the coaching staff presented stars of merit to players who had done outstanding work on offense or defense; the stars worn on the helmets were a mark of achievement. The coaches nicknamed our team "the Animals"; pep rallies were enlivened by the ever-present "animal" spirit.

The Palmetto felt that the dedication of the team and coaches deserved the admiration of the student body for tackling overwhelming odds.

Time Begins . . .



The need for expansion.



Pep squad practice in the summer?



A new school year and new classes.

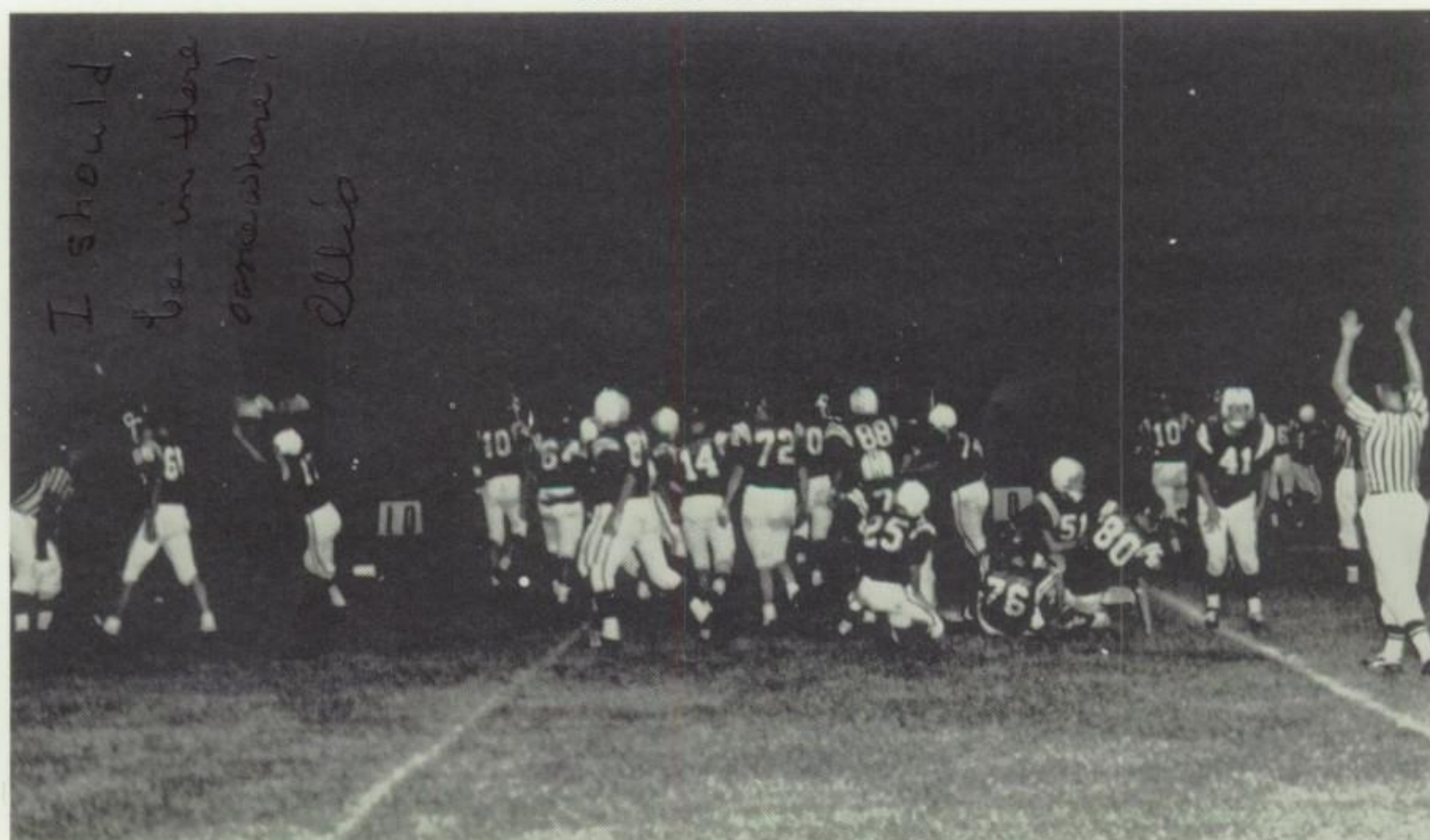


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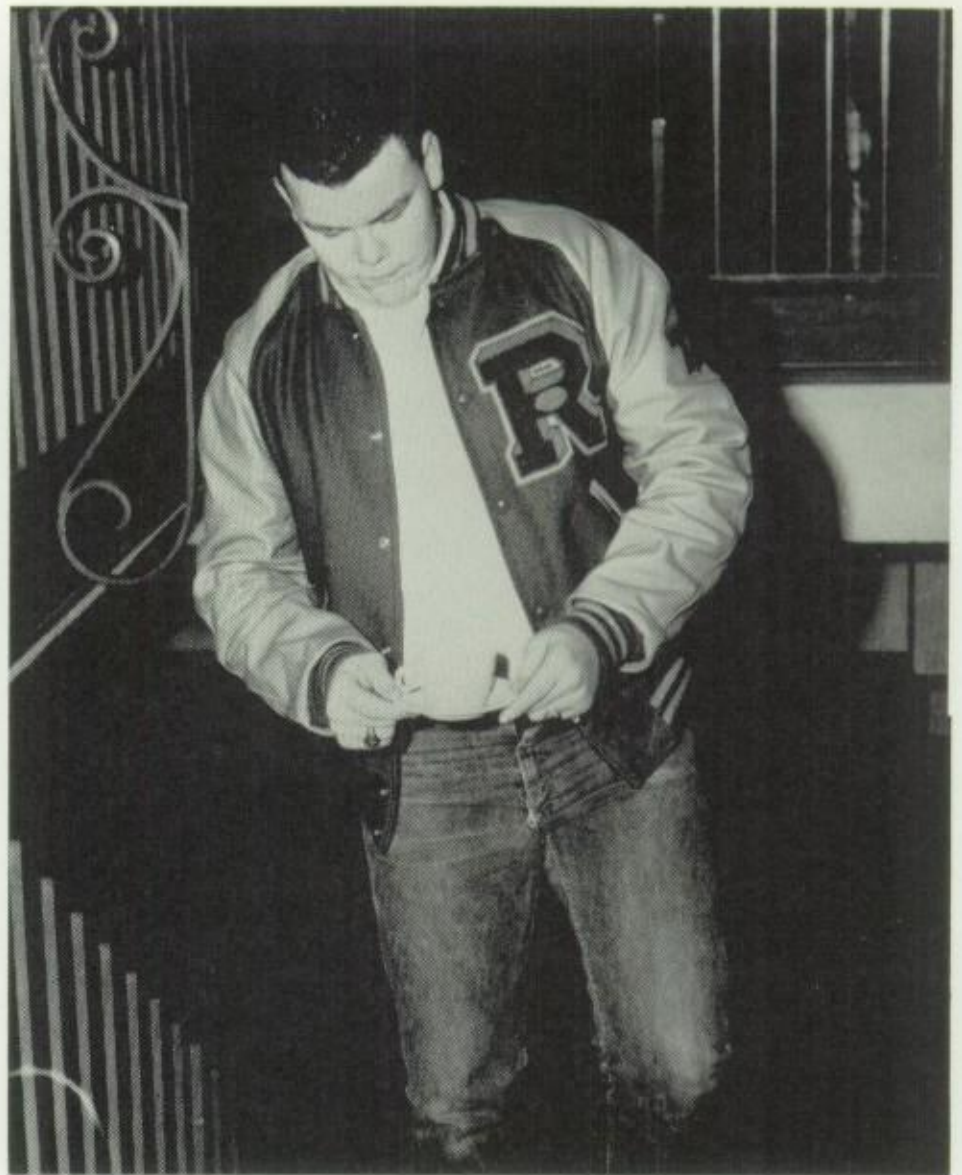
Our flaming spirit

ANIMALS on the loose





Rings and Things



Our big, bad Bud

As the Hours Pass

Bedlam in the lunch line





A Prom in the new cafeteria?



Oh, Mrs. Johnson's senior pep talks!



Time Runs Out . . .

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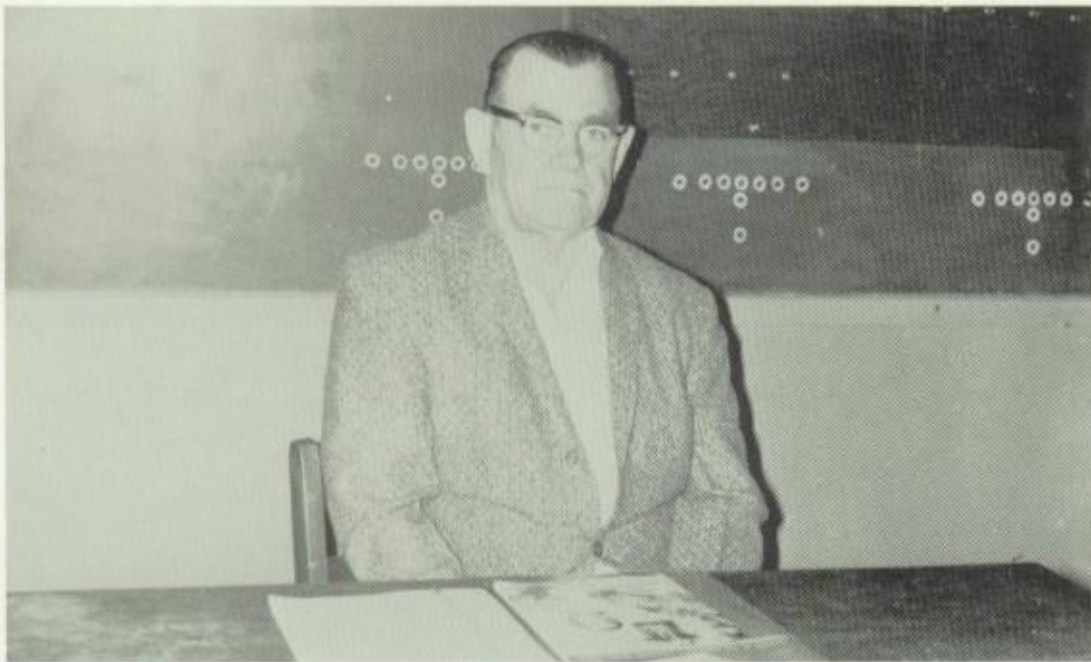
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and Shorthand



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Chorus



Mr. Milton Posey, Guidance Counselor

Special Services



Mrs. Ottis Henderson, Dietician

Throughout the year, services, which are virtually unnoticed, are performed for Rayville High students. Time, thought, and energy are put to these services. Mrs. Henderson and the cafeteria staff do an excellent job in providing nutritious, appetizing meals. Mr. Posey goes far beyond his duty in guiding the students who come to him. To these people, the Palmetto staff wishes to say a special "thank you".



Mrs. Lois Alderman, Mrs. Vera Hicks, Mrs. Juanita Johnston, Mrs. Betty Carter, Mrs. Beatrice Antley.

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Senior Class Officers

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Miss RHS 4; Stu. Body Pres. 4; Buzz 1-4; Co-Ed. 4; Band 1-4; Sec. Lead. 1-2, Sgt. 2, Drum Maj. 3, 4; Lib. Club 1, 2; Rept. 1; Stu. Coun. 2, 4; Sec. -Treas. 2; FHA 1; 4-H 1; Ex. Coun. 1; Class Rept. 2; Rally 2, 3; Bskball 3; R-Club 3, 4; Intrclss. Sports; Span. Club 3, VP 3; Nat'l Honor Soc. 3, 4, Pres. 3; For. Lang. Club 4; Girls' St. Alt. 4.

CAROLYN AVANT
FHA 1-4.



ROSEMARY BALL
Band 1-3; Stu. Dir. 3, Maj. 1-3; 4-H 1-3, VP 3; Bskball 3, 4, Hon. Men. All-Dist. 3; FHA 1; Clss. Parl. 1, Treas. 2, 3; R-Club 3, 4; Stu. Coun. Rep. 4, VP 4; Nat'l Hon. Soc. 4; Belle 1-4; Key Club Swtheart 3, 4; Who's Who 4.

BARBARA BARR
FHA 1-4; Pep Squad 3, 4; Lib. Club 2; 4-H 3.

Seniors

JUDY BARTHEL
Band 1-3, Maj. 1-3; FHA 1; 4-H 1, 2; Span. Club 1; Interclss. Sports 1, 2; Bskball. 3, 4; Key Club Swtheart. 2-4, Conv. 2-4; Belle 3, 4; R-Club 3, 4.



BETTY BEAM
4-H 1-3; FHA 1-3; Jr. Maid; Belle 3.
JACQUELINE BECK
FHA 1, 2; Lib. Club 1-4; Parl. 4; 4-H 1, 2; Pep Sq. 3.



PATRICIA BUELTEL

FHA 3, 4.

SUSAN BOLTON

Buzz Staff 3, 4; Ass't Editor 3, Co-Editor 4; Girls' State Alt. 3; FHA 1-4; Maid of Honor 4; Beauty 3; Pep Squad 3, 4, Jury Member 3; Nat'l. Honor Soc. 3, 4, Sec. 3; Spanish Club 3; Class Pres. 2; Interclss. Sports 2; Belle 4; Chorus 1, Glee Club 2.

Seniors

BUD BRANCH

Football 1-4, Most Improved Player 4; Track 3; R-Club 4; 4-H 3; FHA Beau 4; Christmas Beau 4; Foreign Lang. Club 4.



FRANKIE BRYANT

Football 2; Track 3, 4; Valentine Prince 4.

CAREY CLACK

FFA 1-4, Sec. 4, Parl. 3, Greenhand Repr., Area II Judging Contests 2-4, State 2-4, Par. Soil Judging 3-4, State 3-4, Parish Winner 3-4; Interclss. Sports 2.



CHERRY CLAYTON

4-H 1-4, Sec. -Treas. 3, Jr. Leader Sec. 4, Jr. Leadership Conf. 3; St. Short Course 1-3; Band 1-4, All-Dist. 2, 3; Band Award 1; Library Club 3; FHA 1; Interclss. Sports 1, 2.

CLAUDE CHRICEOL

FFA 1-4, Area II Judging Team 2-4, State 2-4; Parl. Law Team 4; Library Club 2; Interclss. Sports.



RAY CHRISTIAN

Val. King 2; Football 2, 3; R-Club 3;
4-H 2-4; Cutie 3; Beau 3, 4.

PATSY COBB

Pep Squad 1-4, Stu. Coun. Rep. 4;
FHA 1-4; 4-H 3, 4; Stu. Coun. 4,
Sec. -Treas. 4; Rally 3; Bookkeeping
Award 3.



Seniors



COOPER COCHRAN

Key Club 1-4, Board Mem. 2, Treas.
4; Mid-Winter Conf. 3, 4, Dist.
Conv. 2-4, Internat'l 3; Palmetto
Staff 3, 4; Basketball 1; Interclss.
Sports 1-4.

BILLY COENEN

Class Pres. 4; Who's Who 4; Boys St.
Del. 4; Football 1; Track 3; Baseball
2-4; R-Club 3, 4; Key Club 2-4,
Board Mem. 4, Mid-Winter Conf.
3, 4, Dist. Conv. 3, 4; Palmetto Staff
1-4, Sports Ed. 3; Stu. Coun. Rep.
3, Bus. Manager 4; Nat'l Honor Soc.
3, 4; Spanish Club 1, 3; Stu. Coun.
Rep. 3; Rally 3, 4; Interclss. Sports
1-4.

JIM CUTHBERT

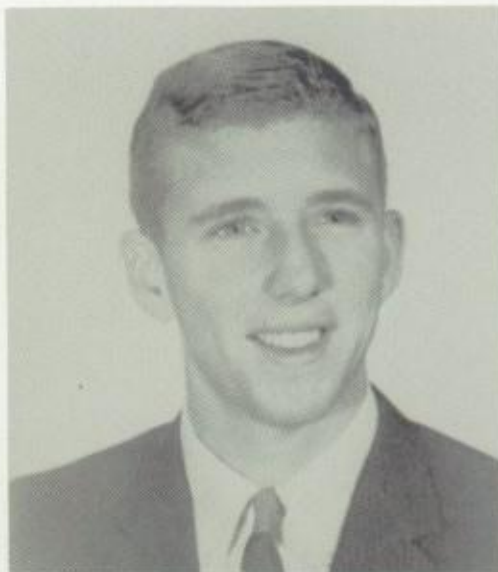
Buzz Staff 2-4; Nat'l Honor Soc. 3, 4;
Football 1-3; Track 3; Interclss.
Sports; Class Repr. 2-4; Boys St. Del.
3; Rally 4; Key Club 1-4; Treas. 3,
Pres. 4; Mid-Winter Conf. 2-4, Dist.
Conv. 2-4; Internat'l Conv. 3, Mid-
Summer Conf. 3, 4.

ELOISE DAVIS

FHA 1, 2.

RAYMOND DeVILLE

Basketball 1-4, All-Dist. Honor.
Men. 3; Baseball 3, 4; Library Club
1-3; R-Club 3, 4; 4-H 1; Chorus 1, 2, 4.





JEAN ELLINGTON

Interclss. Sp. 1,2; Bsktbl 3,4, Capt. 3,4, Hon. Men. All-Dist. 3; FHA 1-4, Rept. 3; Stu. Coun. Rept. 2; R-Cl. 3-4, Treas. 4; Nat. Hon. Soc. 3,4, V.P. 3; Cl. Stu. Coun. Rep. 3, V.P. 4; Band 2-4, Capt. 2-4, Ser. 3; Girls' St. 4; Who's Who 4; Buzz 4; Palmetto 4; Chorus 1-4; DAR Good Cit. 4; La. Tech. Rally 3.



RITA EUBANKS

Pep Sq. 3; FHA 1,2,4; 4-H 1-4; Library Club 1.

BO FLINT

Friend. Boy 4; Christ. Beau 4; Ftbl. 3,4, Co-Capt. 4; R-Club 4; Bsbll 3,4; 4-H 4; Stu. Coun. Rep. 4; Interclss Sports 2-4.

CATHY FRAGALA

Pep Sq. 3; FHA 1-4; 4-H 3-4; Span. Club 3; Glee Club 2; Chorus 4; Lib. Club 2.

Seniors

JANET FREELAND

Lib. Club 1-4, Rept. 3,4; FHA 1-3; 4-H 1; Buzz 3-4; Interclss. Spt. 1-2.



CHARLES GERMANY

Nat. Hon. Soc. 3,4; Bsktbl. 1-4; Track 1-4; Key Club 1-3, V.P. 3; R-Club 3-4; Sp. Club 1; Band 2; 4-H 1,2.

PETE GRAHAM

4-H 1-3; Beau 4; Ftbl. 4; Out Stand. Lineman 4; Sp. Club 1; Int. Spt. 2-4; Bsbll. 2; Bsktbl 1.

SNOOKIE GRAVELLE

FHA 1, 3, 4; Pep Squad 2, 4; Id. P. S. Mem. 2; Cheerl. 3, 4; Sp. Club 2, 3, Pres. 3; 4-H 1; Buzz 4; R-Club 3, 4, Rept. 3; Nat. Hon. Soc. 3, 4; Girl's St. Alt. 4; W. Who 4; Bet. Crocker Awd. 4.

SUE GRAVES

Glee Cl. 1-3; Chorus 1-3; FHA 1-4.

KITTY GREEN

Stu. Coun. Rept. 1; 4-H 1; Pep Squad 1, 2; Lib. Cl. 1, Treas. 1; Hc. Court, 1; Sp. Cl. 1, 2; V. P. 2; Bsk. 3, 4; R-Cl. 3, 4, Sec. 3, 4; Nt. Hon. Soc. 3, 4, V. P.; FHA 4.

LENORA GREEN

Sp. Cl. 1; Lib. Cl. 1; Band 1, 2; 4-H 1-4, Rept. 2, Pres. 3, Parl. 4; Ex. Coun. Sec. 3; St. Course 1-3; FFA Stheart 2; Cheerl. 2-4, H. Chld. 3; R. Club 2-4, Sec. 3; Pep Squad 2-4; Buzz 2-4; Cl. Sec. 3; Nat. Hon. Soc. 3, 4; Cam. Stheart 3, 4; Christ. Belle 3, 4; Homec. Maid 4; Who's Who 4.



Seniors



STEPHANIE GREGORY

Pep Squad 3, 4; 4-H 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Lib. Club 1; Sp. Club 3; Foreign Lang. Club 4.

LALLA GRIFFIS

Sp. Club 1-3, Sec. -Treas. 3; Pep Squad 1-4, V. P. 4, Parl. 3; Palmetto 1-4, Co-Ed. 4; Nat. Hon. Soc. 3, 4, Pres. 4; La. Tech. Rally 2, 3, English; Ld. Con. 3; Cl. Pres. 3; Val. Prin. 4; Con. Ineichen Awd. 3; Who's Who 4; Girl's St. 4.

CLYDE HARRIS

FFA 1-4; R-Club 3; Bib. Club 2, 3; Track 3.





MARTHA HENDERSON
Belle 1-3; Friend. Girl 2, 4; HC Maid
2; Val. Prin. 1; Span. Club 1-3,
Treas. 1; 4-H 1-4; Ex. Coun. Mem.
4; FHA 1; Pep Sq. 1-4, Pres. 4;
R-Club 3, 4; Bsktball 3, 4; Nat'l Honor
Soc. 3, 4, Treas. 4; Palmetto Staff
1-4; Co-Ed. 4; Buzz 1-2; Lead. Conf.
3; Rally 2; Chorus 1-3; Glee Club
1-4; Clss. Sec. 2, Repr. 1; Short
Course 2-3.

BOB HENDRICKS, JR.
Natchitoches: Ensemble 2.

Seniors

FAIRY HENDRICKS
Natchitoches: Chorus 1; Lib. Club 2;
Baseball 2; Rayville: Lib. Club 4.



KIRBY HENDRIX
Track 3, 4; Interclss. Spts. 1-4.

KAY HERRINGTON
Nat'l Honor Soc. 3, 4; FHA 1-4,
Treas. 3, Pres. 4, Lead. Camp, St.
Conv. 3, 4; Buzz 3; Pep Sq. 2-4;
Repr. 3, Treas. 4; For. Lang. Club
3, 4; Chorus 1-4; Glee Club 1, 2;
Clss. Treas. 1.



MARILYN HICKS
Val. Prin. 3; Chorus 1, 2, 4; FHA
1, 2, 4; Glee Club 2, 4; Pep Sq. 3, 4;
Lib. Club 4; All-Dist. Chorus 4.

BUTCH JEFFRIES
Ftball 1-4; Bsktball 1-4; Track 1, 3, 4;
Baseball 1, 3, 4; Who's Who 4; Beau 4;
4-H 1, 2, 3; FFA 1-4; Law Team 1;
Span. Club 1-3; R-Club 3, 4; All-
Dist. Ftball 4; Scholastic Award 4;
4-H Short Course 2, 3.

GERALD JOHNS

FFA 1-4, Sent. 3, Treas. 4, Meat-Judg. Team 2, 3, 4, Parl. Law Team 3, 4, Alt. 2, Nat. Con. 2; R-Club 2-4; Key Club 1; Football 1-4; Track 2-3; Chorus 3; Christmas Beau 3, 4; Jan. Court 3; Stu. Coun. Rept. 2; Basketball 1.

FAYE JOYNER

Chorus 1; Pep Squad 1-4; Val. Prin. 2; 4-H 1-3, V. Pres. 2; Cheerleader 3, 4, Head Chld. 4; Belle 3, 4; Home-coming Queen 4; Who's Who 4.



Seniors



MYRNA NELL KIRK

FHA 1; Span. Club 2, 3; Lib. Club 3, 4; Pep Squad 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4, Glee Club 2-4, All Dist. Chorus 4, Ensemble 3.

FRED LAMBERT

Ftball 2, 3; R-Club 3, 4; FFA 1-4, Rept. 2, Sec. 3, V. -Pres. 4; Judg. Teams 1-4; Lead. Con. 1, 2; Buzz 2; R-Club, Parl. 4; Friend. Boy 2; Val. Prin. 3. Beau 4; FHA Beau 2.

WAYNE KNGIHT

ROGER LAIRD

JIMMY LETLOW

Cl. Pres. 1; Ftball 1-4; M. Val. Back 3, 4; Bskball 1-4; Bsbll 1-4; FFA 1-4, Sec. 2, V. P. 3, Meat Judg. Team 1-4, St. Farmer 3, 4; Nat. Hon. Soc. 3, 4; R-Club 1-4, Pres. 4; Christ. Beau. 3, 4; Cl. Fav. 3; Mr. RHS 4; Who's Who 4; La. Tech. Rally 3; Parl. Law Team 1-3; FHA Beau 3; Bl. Bowl Jan. 2; Val. Prince 2; 4-H 2.





PRISCILLA McALLISTER

F. H. A. 1-4; Library Club 1.

LINDA McDONALD

F. H. A. 1-4, Parl. 3, Hist. 4; Chorus Club 4, Sec. -Treas. 4.



CAROLYN McMILLIAN

F. H. A. 1; Pep Squad 3; Library Club 4; Interclss Spts. 2.

ROBERT McNEASE

F. F. A. 1-4, Area II Jdg. Team 3-4, State 3-4, 3rd Vice-Pres. 4; Interclss. Spt. 1-4; Library Club 2.

Seniors

BILLY MARTIN



SANDRA MARTIN

West Monroe: Y-Teen Vice-Pres. 1, Pres. 2; F. H. A. 1-2; Rayville: Pep Squad 3-4; All-Dist. 3-4.

LARRY MILBY

Ftball 1, 4, All-Dist. Hon. Men. 4; FFA 1-4; Lead. Conf. 2; Nat'l Conv. 2, St. 3; FHA Beau 4; Campus Beau 4; R-Club 4; Track 3; Key Club 1; Bsktball 1; Interclss. Sports 1-4; Clss. Treas. 4; FFA Pres. 4, Repr. 3; Grnhand Sec. 1; Buzz Staff 2.



REX MORRIS
LINDA GAIL MORSE
FHA 1, 3; Chorus 3; Pep Squad 4.



MIKE NICHOLSON
Chorus 4; Library Club 3; Int. VBall,
Bskball, Bsbball 2, 3.

ANN NOWLIN
Library Club 1-3; FHA 1, 2, 4; Pep
Squad 3, 4; 4-H 3.



Seniors



BETTY JEAN OLIVER
4-H Club; FHA; Library Club.

LINDA ORNDOFF
FHA 1-4, Pres. 3, Par. Pres. 3,
Nat'l Conv. 3; Palmetto 2-4, Co-
Ed. 4; L. Con. 3; Span. Club 3;
Who's Who 4; Pel. Girl's St. 4; La.
Tech. Rally 3; Nat'l Hon. Soc. 3, 4,
Treas. 3, Sec. 4; Cl. Sec. 1, 4.

LINDA PAGE
FHA 1-3; Band 1, 2; Lib. Cl. 2-4,
V. P. 4; Interclass Sports 2; Basket-
ball 3; R-Club 3, 4; Pep Sq. 3, 4.





BETTY JO PEOPLES
FHA 1-4, Lead. Conf. 2, Songldr.
3, 4; 4-H 2-4, V P 4; Glee Club 2-4,
All-Dist. 3, 4, All-State 4; Lib.
Club 1, 2; Pep Squad 1-4, Jury 1, Glove
Leader 4.

SHERELL PLANK
4-H 3, 4; FHA 1-4, Sec. 3, V P 3, 4,
St. Exec. Coun. 3, 4, St. Conv. 4,
Nat'l Conv. 4; Interclss. Sports 2, 3.

Seniors

DONALD POOLE
Interclss. Sports 1-4.



DIANA POPE

4-H 1-4, Parl. 3; FHA 1-4; Stu.
Coun. Rep. 4; Safety Coun. 1;
Belle 2.

MARIAN POWELL

Band 1, 3; Lib. Club 1; FHA 1, 3, 4;
4-H 1, 4; Basketball 3, 4; R-Club
3, 4; Sr. Clss. Fav. 4; Interclss.
Sports 1, 2.

ROSIE RATCLIFF

FHA 1; Glee Club 1; Pep Squad 1, 2,
3; Interclss. Sports 1, 2; Lib. Club
1-4, Sec. 4.

PEGGY REDDICK

Chorus 1, 4; Ensemble 1; FHA 1, 3;
Span. Club 3, 4; Pep Squad 3, 4, Jury
4; Buzz Staff 4, Art Ed. 4; All-Dist.
Glee Club 1, 4.



ELLEN ROBINSON

FHA 1, 2, 4; 4-H 1; Span. Club; Stu. Coun. Rep. 1; Pep Squad 3, 4, Sec. 4; Bsktball 3, 4; R-Club 3, 4, Repr. 4; Val. Queen 2; Class V P 2; Safety Coun. 1; Interclss. Sports; Rally 2; Stu. Coun. 1.

MARILYN ROGERS

Lib. Club 4; Pep Sq. 3, 4; Span. Club 3; Buzz Staff 4; Chorus 1-4, Repr. 4; Glee Club 1-4, Sec. -Treas. 2; All-Dist. 3, 4; Rally 4; Ensemble 3.



Seniors



JEAN SEYMOUR

FHA 1-4; Lib. 2-4, V P 3, Pres. 4; 4-H 1.

EDWARD SHOEMAKER

Baseball 1-4; Track 3, 4; R-Club 1-4.

JAMES SMITH

4-H 1-4, Repr. 3, V P 4, Shrt. Course 2-4, Judg. Team 2-4; FFA 2-4, Judg. Team 3, 4, Grnhand Repr. ; Lib. Club 1, 3; Interclss. Sports.



SHIRLEY SMITH

Lib. Club 1-3; FHA 1-3; Interclss. Sports 2.

GAYLE TYREE





HOLLIS VENABLE

Key Club 2-4, Bd. Mem. 3, V. P. 4,
Conv. Del. 4, Mid Win. Conf. 4;
4-H 1-4, Sht. Course 2-3; FFA 2-4;
Parl. Law 4; Interclss. Spt. 1-4;
Track 3.

DIANE WALTERS

Chorus 1-4; Glee Club 1-4; FHA 1-4;
Libr. Cl. 2-3; Pep Squ. 2-4, Parl. 3;
Band 3; Interclss. Spt. 3.



BITSY WALTON

Band 1-2, Sgt. 2; 4-H 1-3; Span. Cl.
4; R-Cl. 3-4; Chld. 3-4; Belle 3-4.

LINDA WATKINS

FHA 1; Pep Squ. 1-4; Interclss Spt. 2;
Chorus 4; Span. Cl. 3-4; Jr. Cl. Fav.;
Buzz 4.

Seniors

JOHN WEATHERFORD

FFA 1, 2, 4; Chorus 4; Track 3;
Interclss. Sports.



ROGER WILSON

FFA 1-4; Grnhand Parl. 1; Parl. Law
Team 1-4; Judg. Team 2, 3; Lib.
Club 2, 3; Interclss. Sports 2.

TOMMY WNUKOWSKI

Track 3, 4; Interclss. Sports 1, 4.

Chapter 3 THE BEGINNINGS OF GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED STATES

The roots of American government reach deep into the past. Our system of government did not suddenly spring into being as at the wave of some political magician's wand. Nor was it pulled out of thin air by the

Our English Heritage
The English, Dutch, Norwegian, French, Spanish, settled in parts of what was to become the United States. But it was the English who came in the largest numbers. And it was the English who came to control the thirteen colonies that stretched for 1,200 miles along the Atlantic seaboard.

These early pioneers who cleared the wilderness and fought off the Indians had to look out for their own interests in the New World. But they came here in search of justice, too.

Founding Fathers of English descent in the summer of 1776. Further, it was developed through long centuries of experience. Tradition, thought, and deed. We shall now review the main ideas of these beginnings.

The Colonial Period
When they brought with them to the political future with them, the settlers brought with them a government system that had been working in England for centuries. They brought to America the ideas of limited government and civil liberties. These ideas were well known in England long before the first Englishman ever heard of America.

(1) *The Two Concepts of Limited Government and Civil Liberties.* They brought with them, too, the twin ideas of limited government and civil liberties. That is, that government is not all-powerful; that government is limited in what it may do; and, negatively, that it is limited in the sense



SETTLERS AT WORK
Early Americans had to live together in harmony, or they would not survive. This was called "government in order to live," the beginning of our government today.

of which are to be found today—country, highway, jury, sheriff, coroner, and justice of the peace, for example. And all of these were well known in England long before the first Englishman ever heard of America.

(2) *The Two Concepts of Limited Government and Civil Liberties.* They brought with them, too, the twin ideas of limited government and civil liberties. That is, that government is not all-powerful; that government is limited in what it may do; and, negatively, that it is limited in the sense

that each man has certain rights that government cannot injure or take away. These great principles of freedom were proclaimed in such historic English documents as the Magna Carta in 1215, the Petition of Right in 1628, and the Bill of Rights and the Act of Toleration of 1689.

(3) *The Concept of Representative Government.* A third vitally important concept brought to America in English ships was that of representative government. For centuries there had been developing in England the



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Vice-President



Ginger Herrington
Secretary

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Martha Neathery
Reporter



Reggie Guynes
Parliamentarian



Kathy Dopson
Student Council
Representative

The Junior Class has many activities and responsibilities. While everyone else cheers the football team, we juniors prepare for the Homecoming Dance. When Christmas comes around, most of our "spirit" is dedicated to last minute details on the Christmas Dance. But the year is not over, and the Prom and Banquet have yet to come. There's more work in store!



Mr. J. L. Harrell
Sponsor



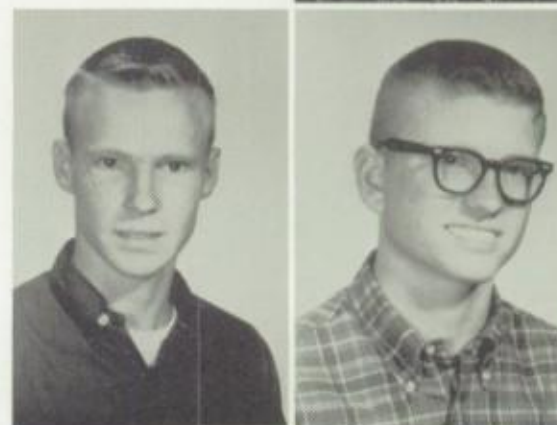
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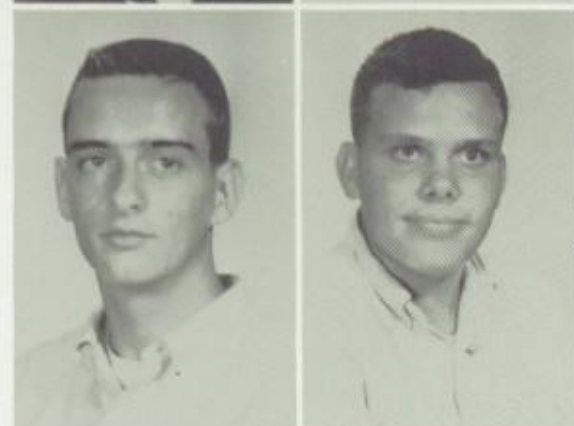
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Carey Jay Ellis

Brenda Frazier
Alfred Gallman



Linda Greer
Raymond Greer

Barbara Hamm
Linda Herring



Juniors

Cathy Horne



Bonnie Huckaby
Janice Johnson

Judy Jordan
Rex Kervin



Bubba Lane
Linda Linder

Bobby McCullough
Patricia McDonald



Alice McKnight
Linda McNair

Angela Middleton
Dayle Morris



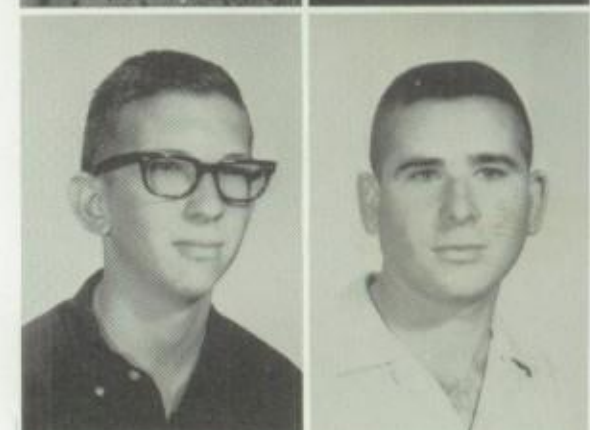
Ronnie Morris
Carolyn Neal

Dianne Neal
Billy Nix



Vernon Norman
Bill Owens

Dennis Parker
Paul Parrish





Nelwyn Phillips

Juniors



Therrell Pierce
Margaret Prunty



Paula Rainwater
Sharon Ratcliff



Troy Ratcliff
Susanne Sharp



Bruce Silk
Alice Smith



Hilda Smith
Robert Smith



Danny Sorey
Eddie Stansbury



Glen Sturdivant
Barbara Taylor



Van Dale Taylor
Boyce Temple



Timmie Thames
Bobby Weatherford



Van Williams
Roy Wright



Quotable Quotes From Macbeth



Say from whence
you owe this strange
intelligence . . .



Or have we eaten on the insane root?



Lay on, Macduff.



She should have died hereafter.



I come, Graymalkin!



Art thou afeared?



Your face... is as a book where men
may read strange matters.

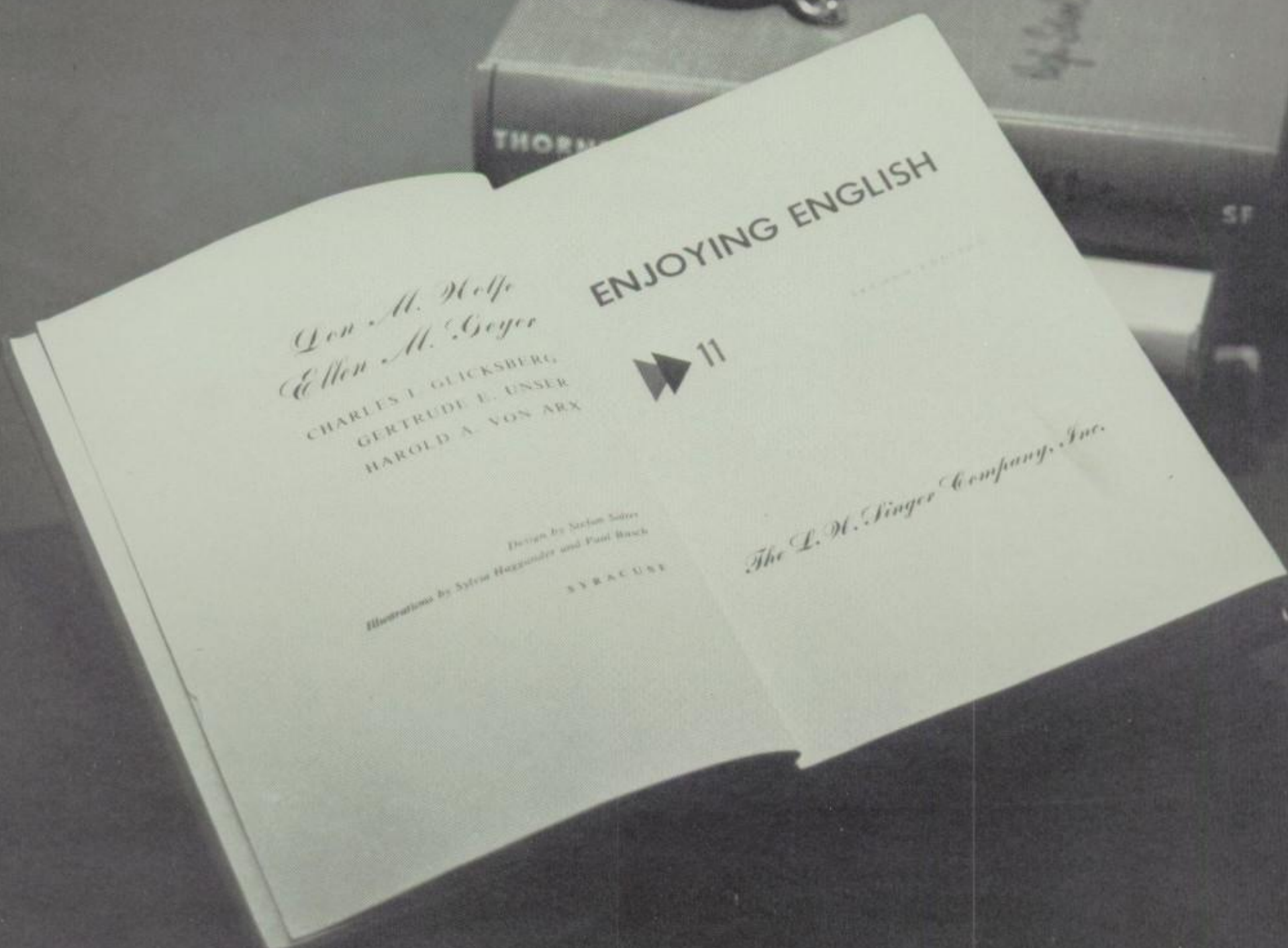


He was a gen-
tle man on
whom I built
an absolute
trust.



Here may you see the tyrant.

SOPHOMORES





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Kelly Evans



Vice-President
Don Cumpton



Secretary
Lou Orndoff



Treasurer
Sandy Copeland



Student Council
Representative
Hugh Marlette



Parliamentarian
Hershel Wilson



Reporter
Sandra Ezell



Sponsor
Mrs. Hanchey

Sophomore Officers

Our tired sophomores.

We're all in Wonderland



Sophomores

Deborah Adcock
Myrtice Allen



Dennis Ashley
Sandra Bledsoe
Linda Boles
George Bolton



Cindy Brunson
James Bruton
Sandra Burns
Billie Burrier



David Byrd
Cheryl Cheek
Noel Chriceol
Lillian Cochran



Ann Coenen
Steve Coenen
Mike Cooper
Yvonne Copeland



Wilson Craig
Burgess Cumpton
Emma Davis
Sheila Dorman



Rickey Ellington
Dorothy Gammill
Gwen Garner
Arthur Gordon





Steve Grantham
Joe Grashot
Shari Greer

Sophomores



Rory Gresham
Beth Grimshaw
Peggy Guynes
Rebecca Hahn



Terry Haire
Linda Harley
Larry Hebert
Jean Hendricks



Barbara Herring
Kenneth Hewitt
Ernest Hunt
Donald Hunter



Peaches Ineichen
Vicie Jinks
Jimmie Johnston
Angelo King



Linda Knight
Harvey LaCas
Verlon Lawrence
Evelyn Lawson



Stanley Livingston
Joy Logue
Otis Maxwell
Kathy McBroom

Sophomores

Jerry McGowen
Shirley Nivens
Carolyn Noblet



Bill Norris
Gary Oglesby
LaQueeta O'Neal
Mira Beth Parker



Leroy Ratcliff
Betty Reddick
Cora Reddick
Kathy Rogers



Larry Shoemaker
Vicki Sims
Jimmy Smith
George Speight



Sharon Spencer
Carolyn Studavin
Sheila Sturgis
Donna Taylor



Linda Templeton
Joyce Tillman
Barbara Ann Venable
Kermit Walters, Jr.



Kathie Watson
Jeff Wiggins
Roy Williams
Elizabeth Youngblood



FRESHMEN





Billy Letlow
Vice President



Jerry Hollis
President



Betsy Anderson
Secretary



Charles Biddy
Parliamentarian

Freshman Class Officers



Jerry Ware
Treasurer



Kathryn Ellerbe
Reporter



Mrs. Thurman
Sponsor



Larry Morris
Student Council Rep.





Geneva Beaubé
Benny Blaylock

Freshmen



Joyce Boyd
Linda Kay Bradshaw
Ronnie Branch
Ned Brunson



Don Buckles
Paula Buie
Bud Burns
Shirley Burroughs



John Byargeon
Richard Byrd
Robert Carroll
Carlton Clark



Barbara Clayton
Chris Cochran
Bud Copeland
Billy Crawford



Bob Cuthbert
Harold Gallman
Michael Gallman
Dorothy Garrett



Robert Gibson
Ellis Green
Ernest Greer
Annette Grigsby

Freshmen

Linda Grigsby
Mike Hardy



Sandra Hardy
Jeannette Harper
Shirley Harris
Vicki Herrington



Carol Hoaglain
Edna Howard
Anne Hubbard
Myrtice Ivy



Lauren Johnston
Dana Kervin
Keith Keys
Larry Lyle



Ann McConnell
Ginger McDonald
Mike McDonald
Mike McGowan



Mike McNaughton
Brenda Maxwell
Donald Middleton
Debra Mills



Dianne Moody
Dixie Moore
Delores Munholland
Lauren Munholland





Lois Nelson

Freshmen



Margaret Norman
 Danny Odom
 Jane Parker
 Darwin Peoples



Eddie Pierce
 Willie Ratcliff
 Terry Rainbolt
 Carolyn Richardson



Terry Rogers
 James Smith
 Kay Smith
 Sybil Smith



Barbara Stansell
 Linda Stokes
 Brenda Templeton
 Sandra Templeton



Eddie Thompson
 Linda Toney
 Gordon Walters
 Leslie Watson



John Wiggins
 Jimmy Williams
 Carey Wilson
 Bubba Youngblood

ACTIVITIES



Palmetto Staff



Palmetto "headquarters" for editors, Lalla Grif-fis, Martha Henderson, and Linda Orndoff.



Aiding the photographer are Jean Ellington and Lou Orndoff.



Hard at work selling ads are Lillian Cochran, Cooper Cochran, and Sadie Jo Coenen. Mr. Arville Cox is selecting his ad.



Billy Coenen, Peaches Ineichen and Steve Coenen take orders for the '65 Palmetto.



Selecting pictures for the annual are Susan Cochran, Carolyn Richardson, our advisor Mrs. Gladney, Kathy Dopson, and Hugh Marlette.



Hornet's Buzz Staff



Editors Nelrose Anderson and Susan Bolton can take time for relaxation, safe in the knowledge that the latest edition of the Hornets' Buzz is complete. Staff members work hard so that RHS students may enjoy the school news. Here we see copies of the Buzz being sold after the various stages of planning and designing art work have been finished.





The Glee Club participates in many school functions and programs.

Chorus

The chorus is made up of boys and girls who take Chorus as a high school subject and those who choose it as an activity or club. Some special chorus groups perform at dances, banquets, and graduation. They also give two concerts a year, a school assembly, and attend festivals.

Betty Jo Peoples was named the outstanding Chorus senior for 1965. She made All-State and All-District Chorus.

The Chorus officers for this year are Reggie Guynes, Pres., Linda McDonald, Sec.-Treas., Marilyn Rogers, Rept., and Alfred Gallman, Librarian.



Mrs. Walters is proud of her star performers Betty Jo Peoples and Reggie Guynes.



Chorus provides hours of enjoyment to its members.



BETSY ANDERSON

Majorettes



PAULA BUIE



SHERRY GREER



NELROSE ANDERSON
Drum Majorette



LAUREN JOHNSON



DANA KERWIN



KATHY DOPSON
Asst.
Drum Majorette



SUSAN COCHRAN



Pride of Rayville



Mr. Hodge confers with his assistants, Nelrose Anderson and Kathy Dopson.

The R.H.S. Band is composed of 54 members, and includes students from the 8th through the 12th grades. The Band completed a very successful marching season, receiving a "Superior" rating at the L.M.E.A. District II Marching Festival. The Band performed at many school functions throughout the year, and played several concerts for the R.H.S. student body and for area schools.



R.H.S. Band

Band Officers:
 Jean Ellington-
 Captain
 Nelrose Anderson-
 Drum Major
 Kathy Dopson
 Asst. Drum Major
 Johnny Dunn
 Lieutenant
 Billy Keener McConnell
 Lieutenant
 Dayle Morris
 Sergeant



Pep Squad Works



Cindy Brunson, Sandra Ezell, Lillian Cochran, Sandy Copeland, and Martha Henderson display their ability to decorate the goal post.



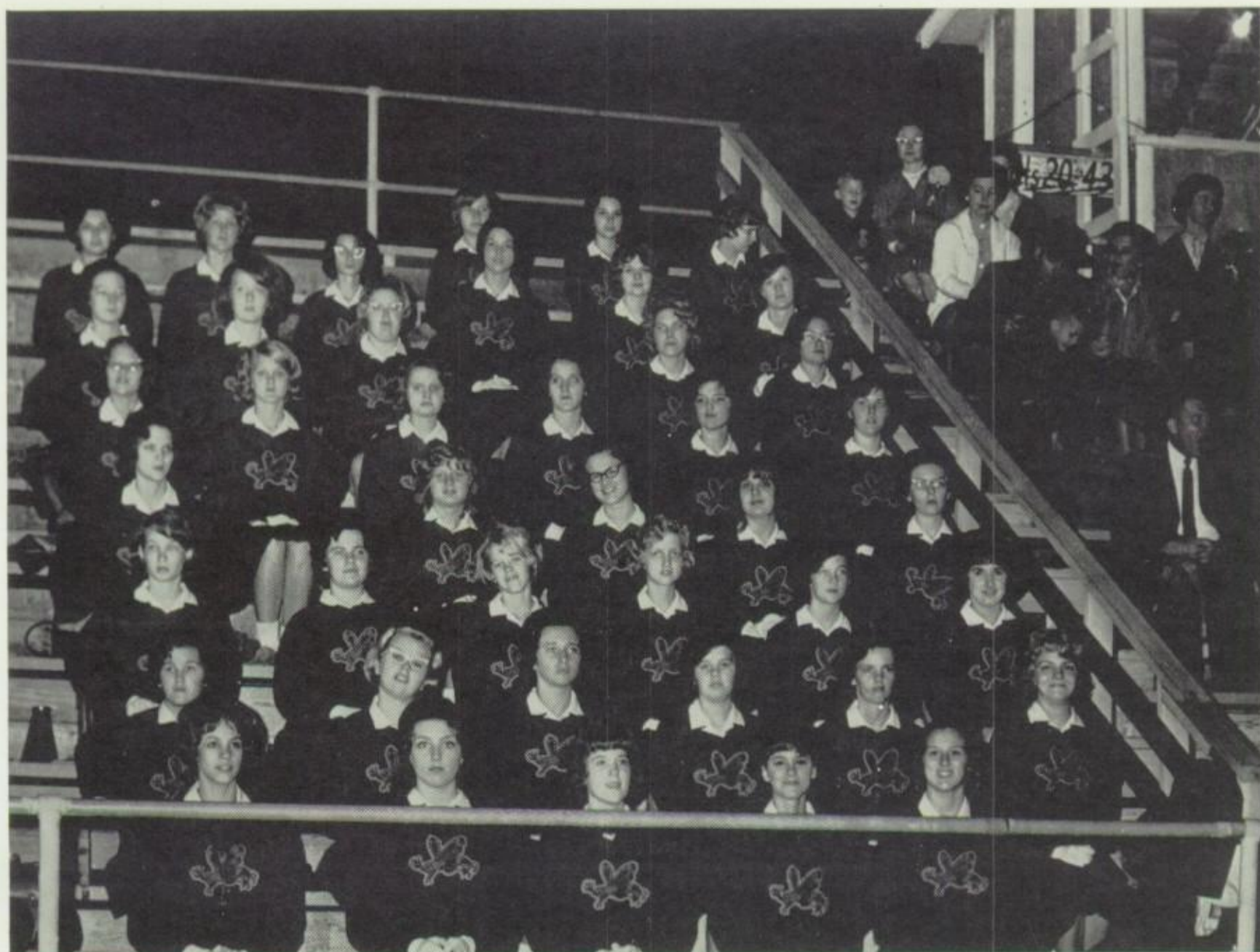
Lillian Cochran was selected Ideal Pep Squad Member for her outstanding contributions to the group.



Selling of the programs was left to Linda Stokes, Rosemary Ball, Gwen Garner, Ellen Robinson, Marilyn Hicks, and Linda Templeton.



Creating imaginative signs to arouse school spirit were Sadie Coenen, Linda Watkins, Susan Bolton, and Stephanie Gregory.



Cheering the football team and arousing the school spirit has been the creed of the Rayville Pep Squad this season. One of the special activities of the Pep Squad was their participation in the Homecoming activities. In traveling to out of town games, the buses loaded with girls rocked and rolled with merriment.

OFFICERS

Lalla Griffis - V. Pres.,
 Martha Henderson - Pres.,
 Linda Templeton - Jury
 Member, Lillian Cochran -
 Goal Post, Ellen Robinson -
 Sec., Sadie Jo Coenen -
 Sign Com., Patsy Cobb -
 Stu. Coun., Peggy Red-
 dick - Sign Com., Peaches
 Ineichen - Tag Com., Bet-
 ty Jo Peoples - Glove Lea-
 der, Sherry Copeland - Rept.,
 Brenda Frazier - Jury Mem.,
 Kay Herrington - Treas.



Cheerleaders



DARLA BRANCH



LENORA GREEN



SNOOKIE GRAVELLE



FAYE JOYNER



ALICE SMITH



BITSY WALTON



ORGANIZATIONS



Student Council Serves



Nelrose Anderson
Student Body President

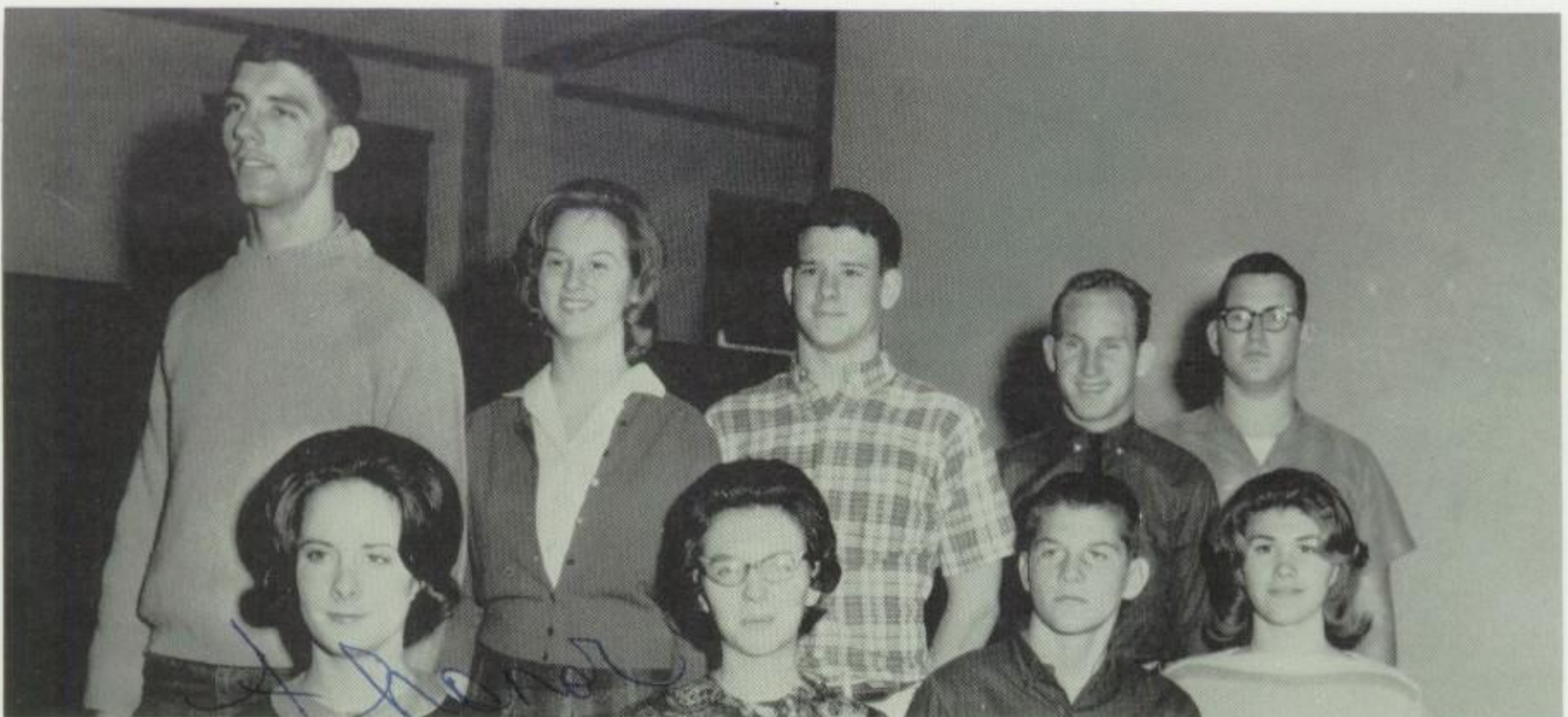


Mr. Charles Tillman
Sponsor

The R. H. S. Student Council is composed of twelve members; its purposes are: to regulate all student life activities, to work for high ideals, to promote student-teacher relationships, to work for a democratic school spirit. The '64-'65 council has been very active and has carried out many projects including: raising money for various gifts and donations, conducting "first day" activities, amending the school constitution, holding career day and many other activities.



OFFICERS: Hugh Marlette, Historian, Patsy Cobb, Sec. - Treas., Rosemary Ball, Vice-Pres., and Nelrose Anderson, Pres.



STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES: TOP ROW, Donald Cumpton, FFA; Rosemary Ball, R-Club; Hugh Marlette, Sophomore Class; Bo Flint, Senior Class; Hershel Wilson, Library Club. BOTTOM ROW: Diana Pope, 4-H; Patsy Cobb, FHA; Larry Morris, Freshman Class; Kathy Dopson, Junior Class.



Mrs. George Speight
Sponsor



Lalla Griffis
President



Kitty Green
V. President



Linda Orndoff
Secretary



Martha Henderson
Treasurer



Nelrose Anderson



Rosemary Ball



Susan Bolton



Billy Coenen



Jim Cuthbert



Charles Germany



Snookie Gravelle



Lenora Green



Kay Herrington



Butch Jeffries



Jimmy Letlow



OFFICERS: Jimmy Letlow, Pres. ; Timmie Thames, Vice-Pres. ; Jean Ellington, Treas. ; Kitty Green, Sec. ; Rosemary Ball, Stu. Coun. Rept. ; Ellen Robinson, Rept. ; and Fred Lambert, Parl.

R-Club

The "R" Club is the leading athletic organization in the school. Its members are the athletes who have lettered in any sport and are active in that sport. This organization is responsible for buying all athletic awards such as jackets and letters. A recent activity of the club has been the compiling and distributing of the Student Directory.



GIRL'S BASKETBALL: K. Green, M. Henderson, R. Ball, J. Barthel, J. Ellington, M. Powell, E. Robinson, N. Phillips, D. Morris, and N. Anderson.



Shown are the active members of the RHS "R" Club.



To promote the sale of license tags, the Coaches Clark, Harrell, Beard, and Soulis pose with the cheerleaders.



Key Club



OFFICERS: SEATED, Billy McConnell, Cooper Cochran, Jim Cuthbert, Hollis Venable. STANDING, Hugh Marlette, Bruce Silk, Danny Sorey, Billy Coenen, George Bolton.



The Key Club is an outstanding organization for high school boys. Its purposes are to serve the community and school, build leadership, and prepare boys for useful citizenship. With these objectives in mind, the Rayville Key Club has launched a vigorous program to carry out the ideals of Key Club International in 1965.

SWEETHEARTS: JUDY BARTHEL

ROSEMARY BALL

MEMBERS:

Kermit Walters
George Speight
Mike Cooper
Dennis Parker
Jerry McGowen





F.H.A.

OFFICERS:

Pres.: Kay Herrington
 V.Pres.: Sherell Plank
 Sec.: Lillian Cochran
 Treas.: Linda Nell Herring
 Song leader: Betty Jo Peoples
 Parliamentarian: Ginger Herrington
 Hist.: Linda McDonald
 Rep.: Sadie Jo Coenen



Our smiling freshman members pose.

FHA, an organization which strives to develop its members' qualities, has been very ably represented by its members this year; in particular Sherell Plank and Lillian Cochran. Sherell, Vice-president of District II, has attended National and has had many wonderful opportunities. Lillian was recently elected to a state office. FHA is certainly looking to Lillian for leadership for her remaining high school years.



The way to a man's heart is through his stomach.



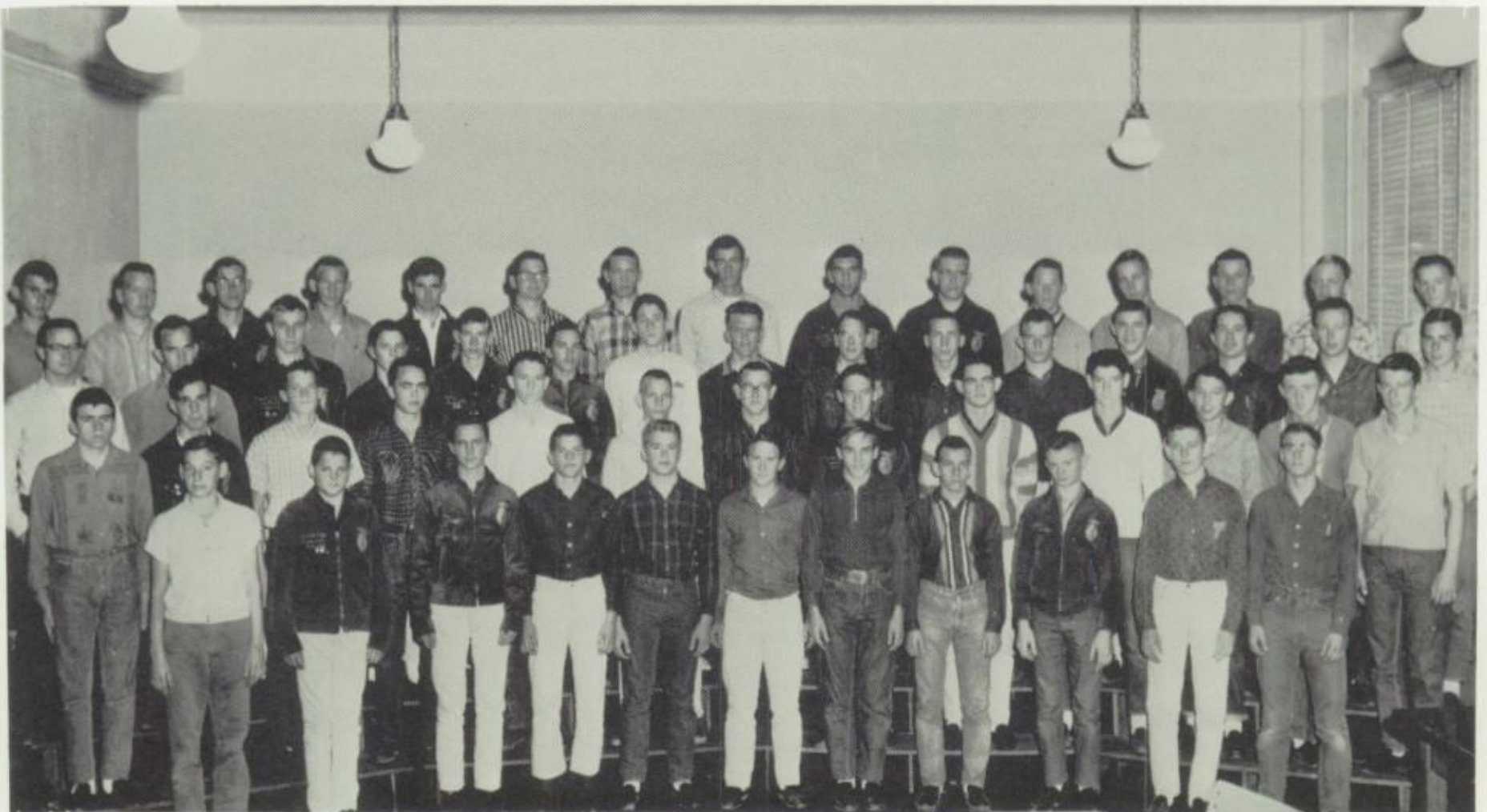
Clothing is an important part of FHA life.



FHAer's display their creativity in various club activities.

FFA

Pres. : Larry Milby
 1st V. Pres. : Fred Lambert
 2nd V. Pres. : Jimmy Letlow
 Sec. : Carey Clack
 Treas. : Robert McNease
 Rept. : Don Crawford
 Sent. : Hershel Wilson
 Advisor: Mr. J. C. Letlow
 Sweetheart: Carol Christian



The FFA members work today for an improved tomorrow.

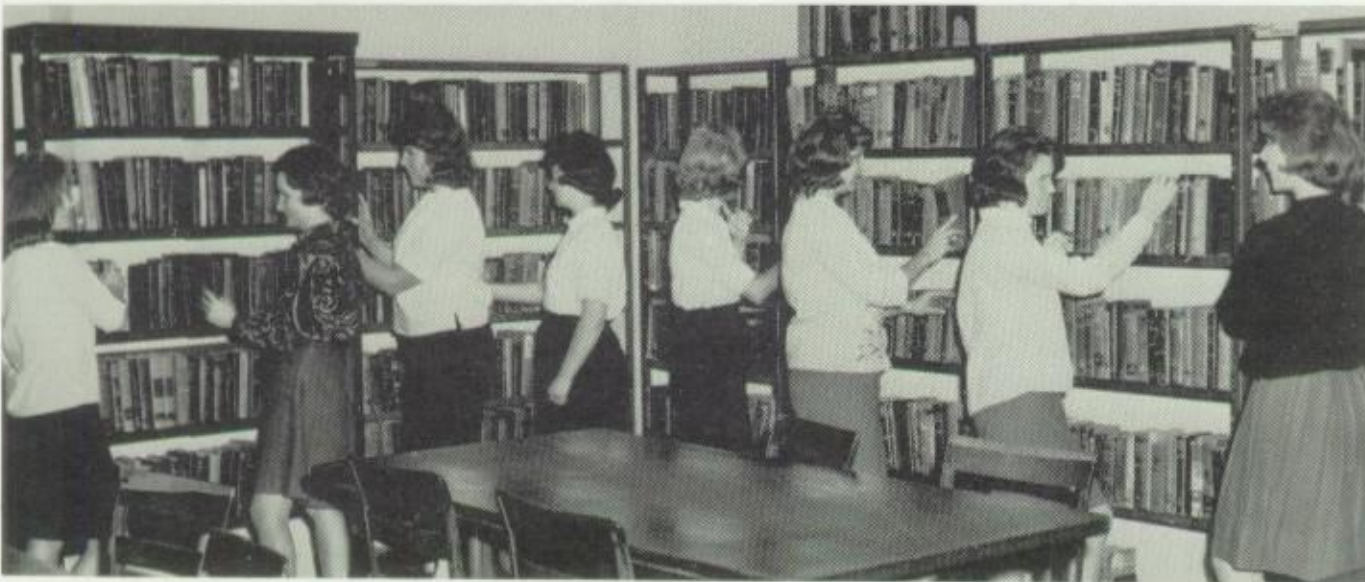
Library Club



Library assistants mend books.



OFFICERS: Pres. Jean Seymour, V. P. Linda Page, Parl. Jackie Beck, Hist. Janet Freeland, Treas. Carolyn McMillian, Sec. Rosie Ratcliff, Stu. Coun. Rep. Hershel Wilson, Sponsor Mrs. Joe Kalil.



Shelving is one of the services provided by club members.



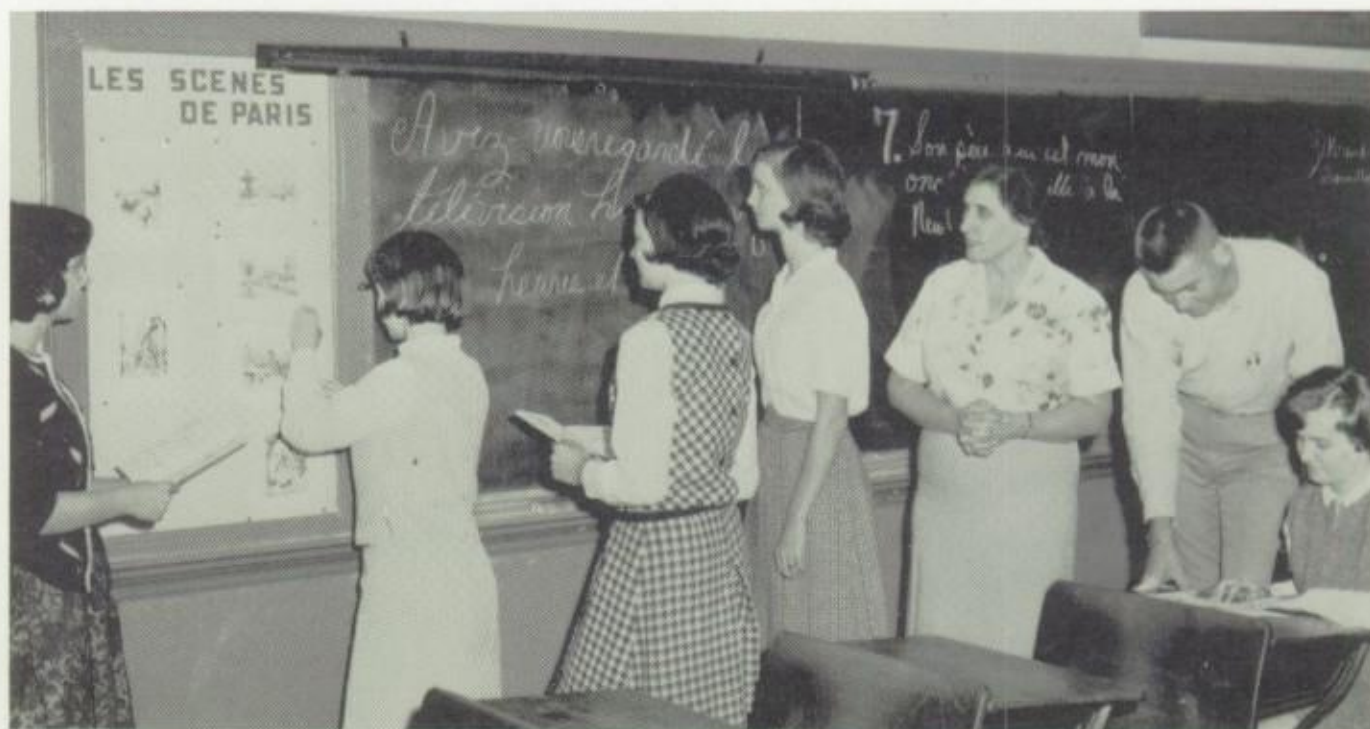
Cataloging makes research easier.



Foreign Language Club

The newly organized Foreign Language Club is composed of two main groups, the Spanish students and the French students. It was formed in order to further the interest and appreciation of foreign languages. This club has meetings once a month. They present an assembly every year. This club also sponsors a float in the annual Homecoming Parade.

OFFICERS: Kay Herrington, Pres. ; Linda Watkins, Rept. ; Hugh Marlette, Vice-Pres. ; and Mrs. Thomason, Sponsor.



Mrs. Green instructs her French class at the blackboard.



The Spanish class recites in Espanol.



4-H

HEAD

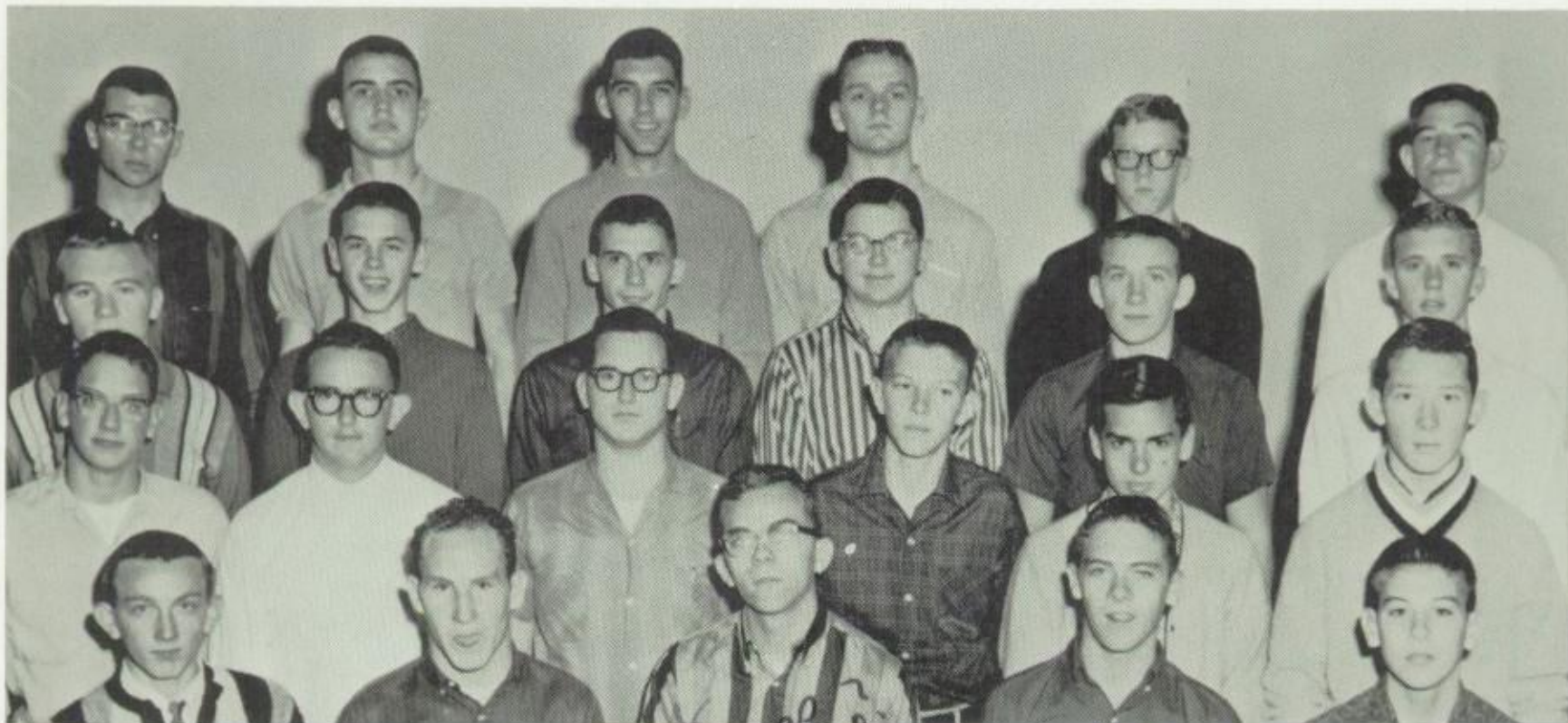
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HANDS

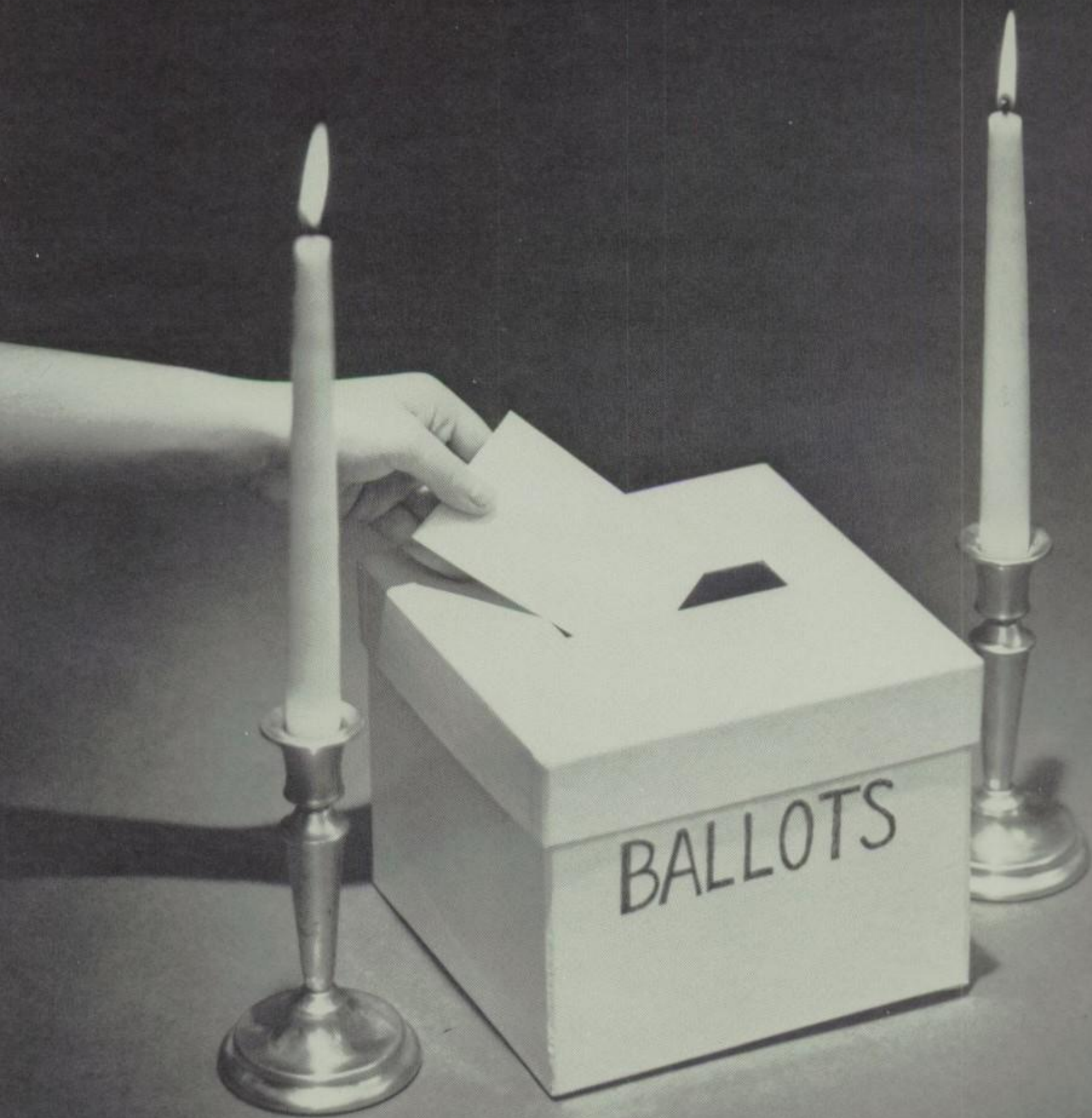
HEALTH



GIRLS' OFFICERS: C. Cochran, Sec. -
Treas.; M. Henderson, Ex. Coun. Rept.;
K. Dopson, Pres.; B. J. Peoples, Vice-
Pres.; L. Green, Parl.; V. Sims, Rept.;
BOYS' OFFICERS: H. Venable, Pres.; J.
Smith, Vice-Pres.; B. Silk, Sec. -Treas.;
V. Norman, Rept.; B. Lane, Ex. Coun.
Rept.



FAVORITES





NELROSE checks the fire.

JIMMY puts on the music.



Mr. and Miss R.H.S.



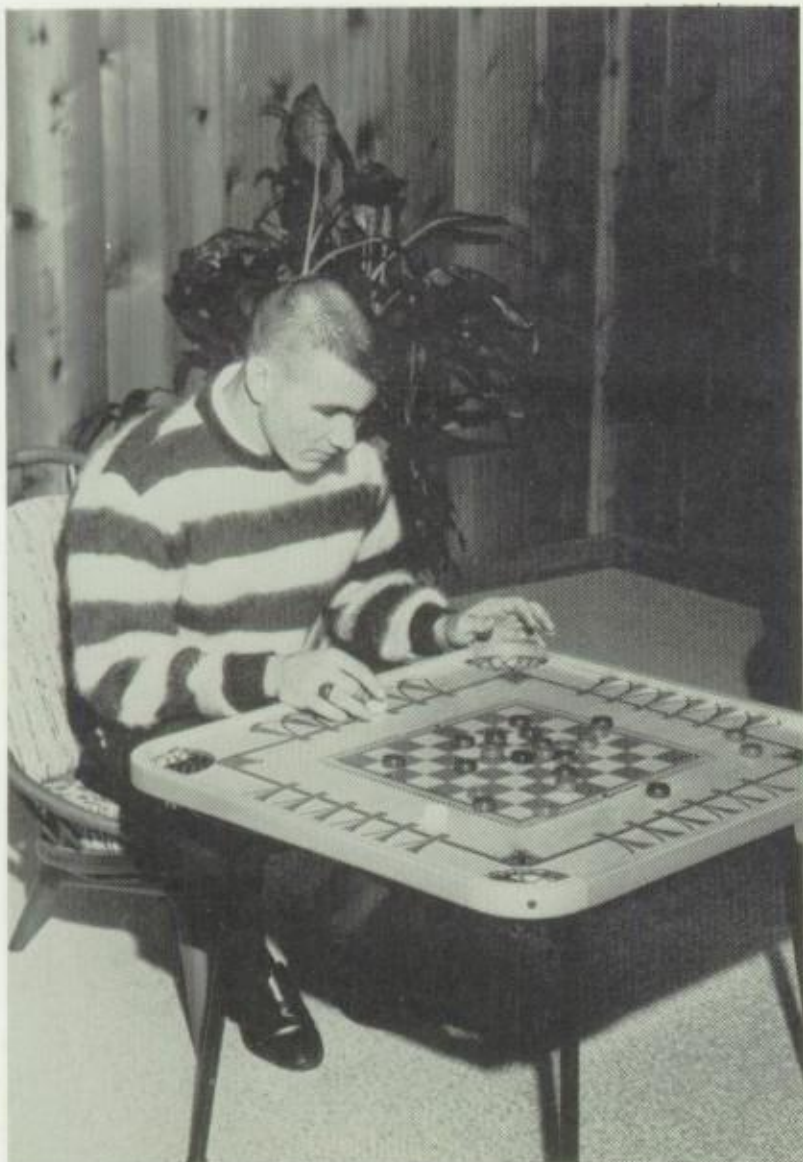
Swinging around the lamp post are
NELROSE ANDERSON, Miss R. H. S., and
JIMMY LETLOW, Mr. R. H. S.





LENORA, how about an apple?

LARRY is a whiz at caroms.



Campus Beau and Sweetheart



LARRY MILBY, Campus Beau, almost teaches LENORA GREEN, Campus Sweetheart, a new dive.





What about Goldwater? MARTHA.

What is your aim? BO.



Friendliest Boy and Girl



Real swinging people are MARTHA
HENDERSON, Friendliest Girl, and BO
FLINT, Friendliest Boy.



Who's

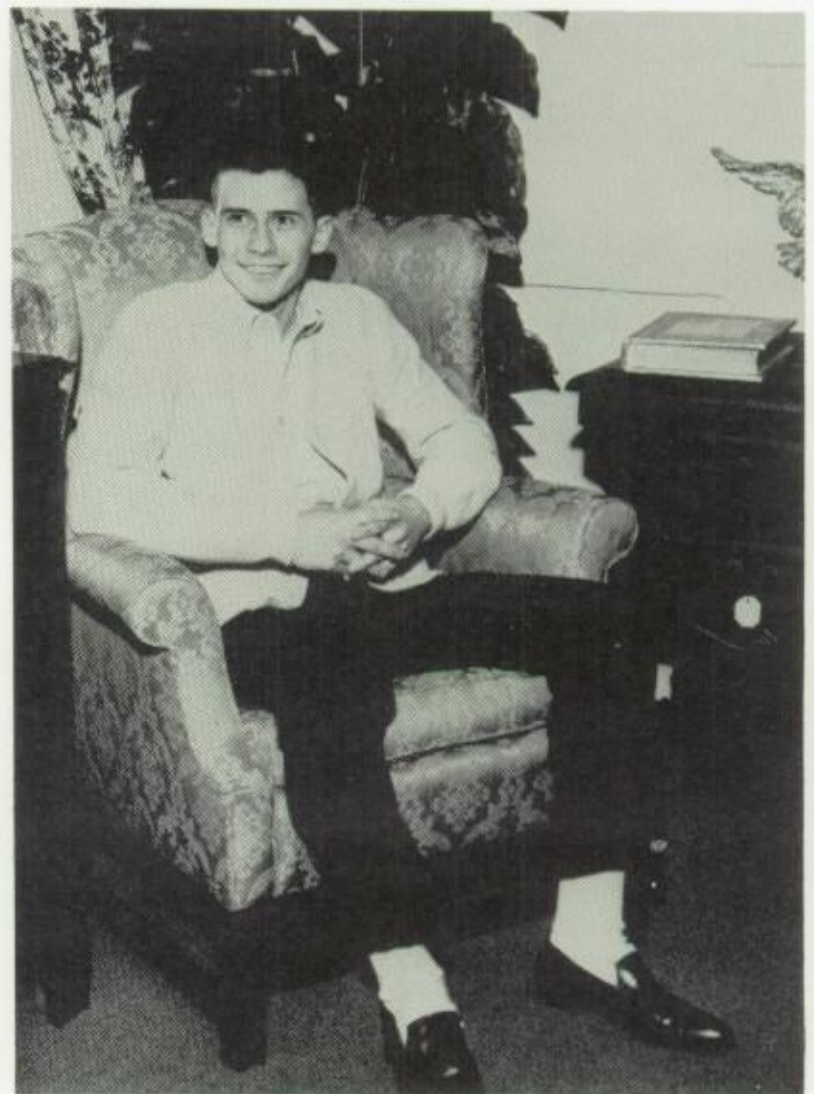
JEAN ELLINGTON

Outstanding in all aspects is Jean Ellington. Jean has been especially active in sports as well as in band. She served as captain of the girls' basketball team for two years. She represented her school as a Girls' State Delegate and also received the DAR Good Citizen Award.



DANNY SOREY

An outstanding junior, Danny Sorey, has been very active in football and baseball. Danny is a favorite of his class, having been chosen as Valentine Prince and Christmas Beau.

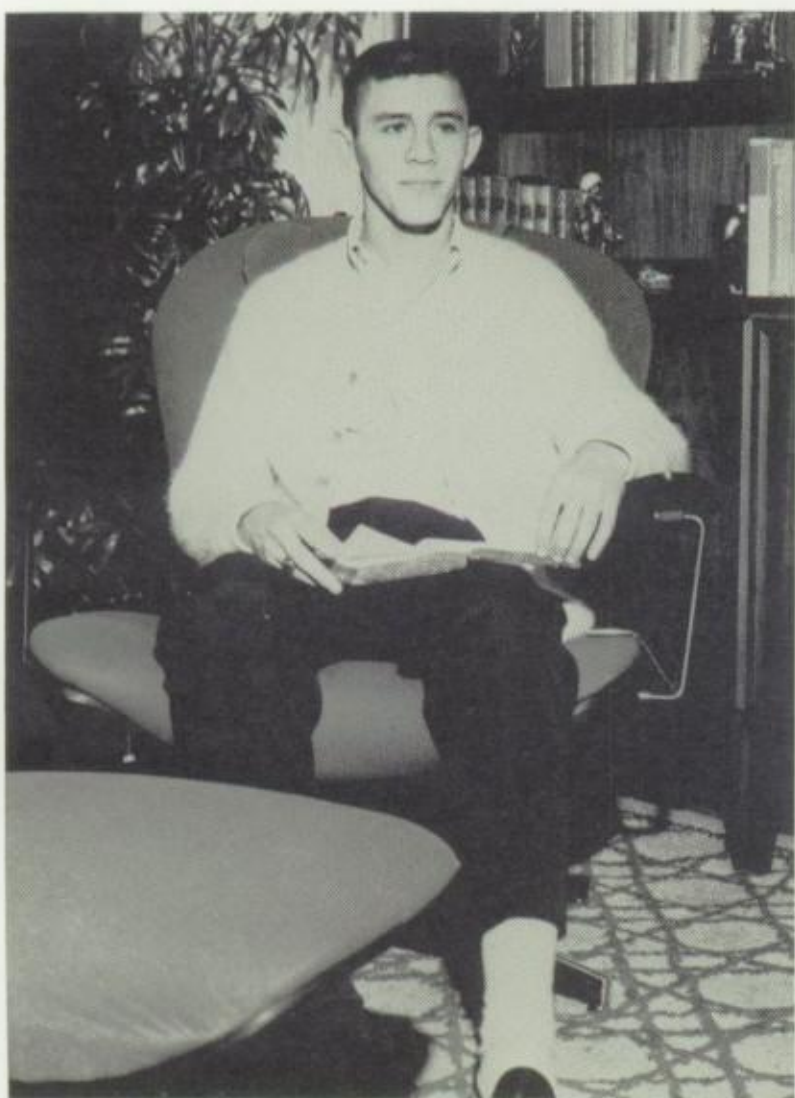


LENORA GREEN

With a bright smile and the voice of a good cheerleader, Lenora Green has gone with her classmates through four years of hard work and happy experiences. Lenora, as "society" editor of the Buzz for two years and as cheerleader for two years, has caused her share of excitement and laughter in our school. Lenora's leadership capabilities have been recognized by the members of the 4-H and National Honor Society. Christmas Belle and Senior Maid are a sample of her honors.

Who

ROSEMARY BALL, an outstanding member of RHS, has been of great service to her school and community. The senior class can be very proud of Rosemary for her participation in sports and in the band, serving as majorette and student director. Christmas Belle for four years, Key Club sweetheart for two years, and Who's Who member in her senior year are proof of Rosemary's popularity in Rayville High School.



BUTCH JEFFRIES has participated in all phases of athletics offered at RHS, football, basketball, baseball, and track, and has excelled at all of them. Butch has taken an active part in clubs such as FFA and R-Club. In his senior year, Butch was elected Christmas Beau and received the Scholastic award in football.



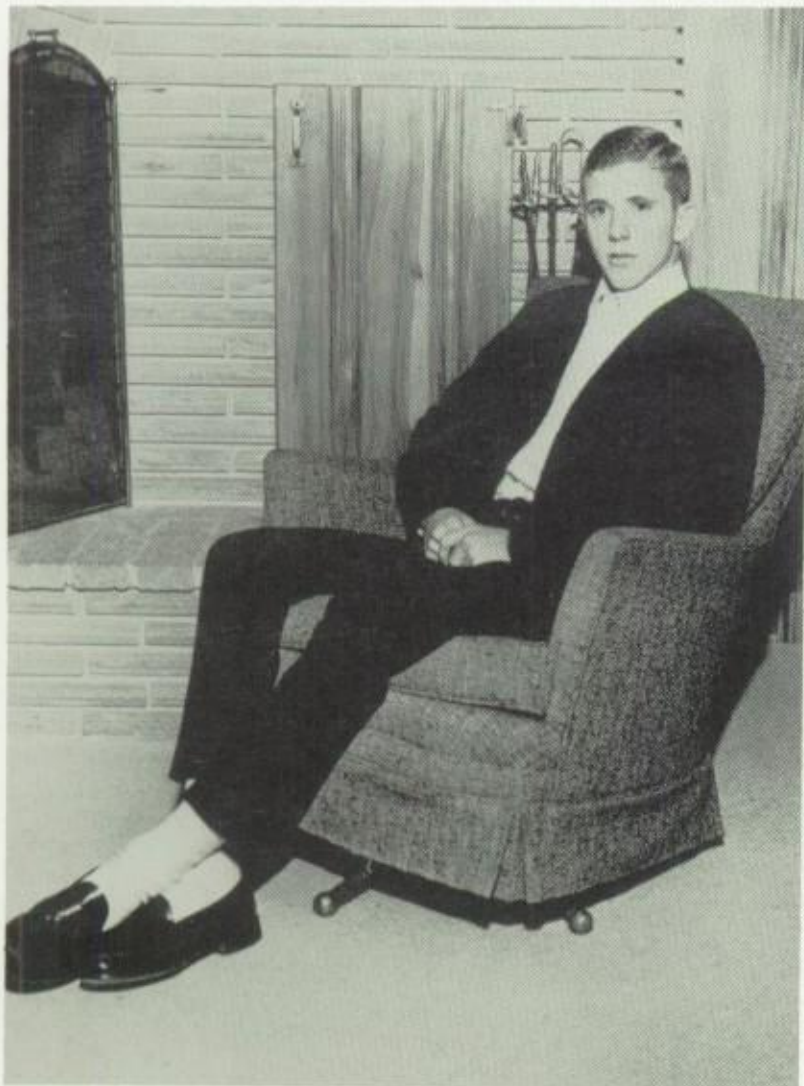


LINDA ORNDOFF

Linda Orndoff has shown herself to be a capable leader by her participation in several school organizations. She has excelled in both local and parish FHA. She has been a member of the Palmetto Staff and this year is co-editor. Linda is also a member of the National Honor Society. She was elected to represent her school at Pelican Girls' State.

FAYE JOYNER

Faye Joyner has done outstanding work as a cheerleader for two years. She has worked extra hard this year as head cheerleader. As an active member of her class, she has received many honors including Homecoming Queen.



BILLY COENEN

A Pelican Boys' State delegate and senior class president, Billy Coenen is held in highest regard by his classmates and members of the Key Club. Billy has served actively in class projects and Key Club activities. As active as he is, Billy has maintained a high average and is a member of the National Honor Society.

TIMMIE RAY THAMES

Members of the junior class can tell an inquirer the exact reasons for the selection of TIMMIE THAMES as a member of Who's Who. Timmie Ray's collection of honors, including Christmas Beau, Valentine Prince, and class favorite, proves that everyone loves a cheerful disposition such as his. The junior class should certainly be proud of Timmie Ray and his accomplishments in sports, clubs, and various activities.



Pert, pixieish SNOOKIE GRAVELLE brings a smile wherever she appears. She has been a cheerleader for two years and did a fine job representing our school. She was Girls' State Alternate and winner of the Betty Crocker Award.

JIMMY LETLOW, Mr. RHS, has been active in both sports and social life. He has played all sports in his four years of high school, and was captain of the football, basketball, and baseball teams during his senior year. Jimmy was named Most Valuable Back in his junior and senior years. He has been a member and officer in organizations such as FFA, National Honor Society, and R-Club. In RHS social life, Jimmy has been a class favorite, Christmas Beau, and Valentine Prince.





Freshman Class Favorites

Debra Mills
Jerry Ware

Sophomore Class Favorites

Vicki Sims
Donald Cumpton



Junior Class Favorites

Dale Morris

Bubba Lane



Senior Class Favorites

Marian Powell

Pete Graham



Rosemary Ball
Butch Jeffries



Judy Barthel
Bo Flint



Susan Bolton
Jimmy Letlow

Belles and Beaux



Carol Christian
Larry Milby



Kathy Dopson
Ray Christian



Brenda Frazier
Bubba Lane



Lenora Green
Pete Graham



Faye Joyner
Bud Branch



Darla Branch
Timmie Thames

A tradition of the Christmas season at Rayville High School is the annual election of Belles and Beaux by the student body. The couples are presented at the Christmas dance sponsored by the Junior class and are a central feature of the floorshow. Since 1948, Belles and Beaus have rung in the Christmas spirit for students of R. H. S.



Kathy McBroom
Fred Lambert



Alice Smith
Donald Cumpton



Bitsy Walton
Danny Sorey

A great time

Court of Hearts in Wonderland



SENIOR PRINCE and PRINCESS
Frankie Bryant and Lalla Griffis



King Kelly Evans
Queen Barbara Venable



JUNIOR PRINCE and PRINCESS
Danny Sorey and Angela Middleton



SOPHOMORE PRINCE and PRINCESS
Mike Cooper and Kathy McBroom



FRESHMAN PRINCE and PRINCESS
Larry Morris and Debra Mills



ATHLETICS





Brains and Brawn

Coaching the Rayville football squad of 1964-65 were Coaches Ronnie Beard, Pete Soulis, and Jerry Clark.

Proudly exhibiting their awards received at the annual Honors Banquet are Pete Graham, Most Valuable Lineman; Jimmy Letlow, Most Valuable Back; Bud Branch, Most Improved Player; and Butch Jeffries, Scholastic Award.



The Captains of the Hornet Squad were Larry Milby, Jimmy Letlow, and Bo Flint.



BUD BRANCH

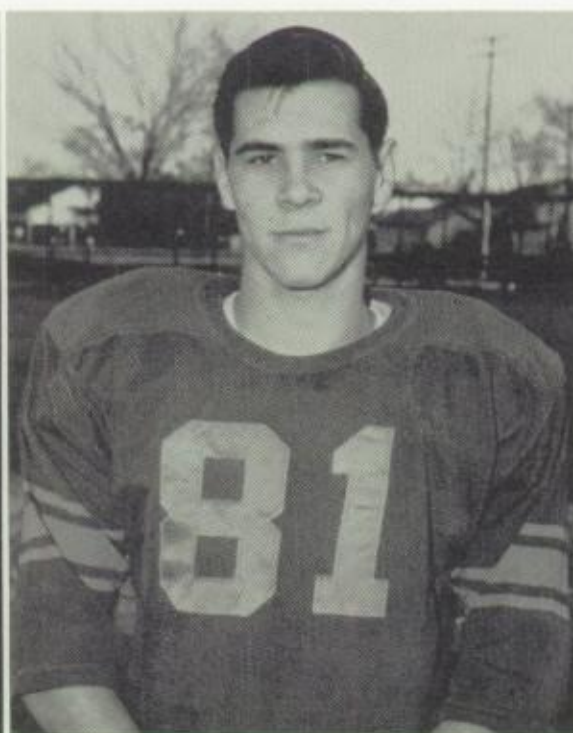
Senior Squad



BO FLINT



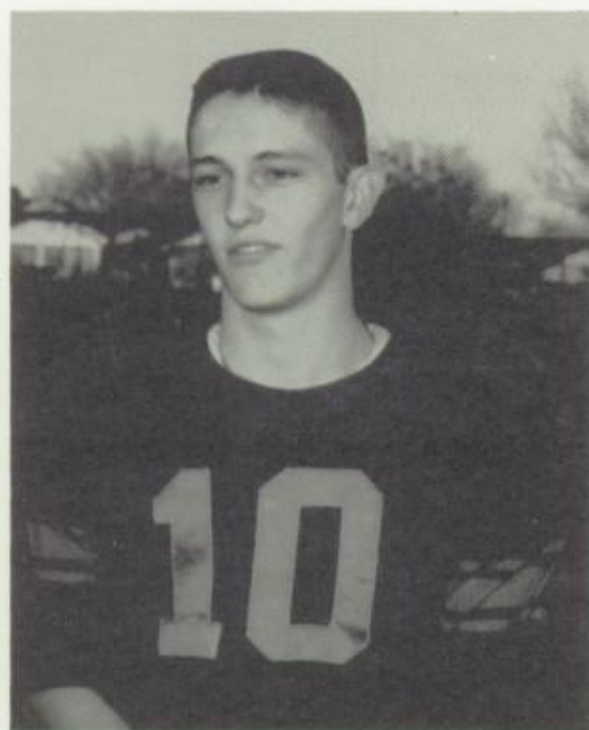
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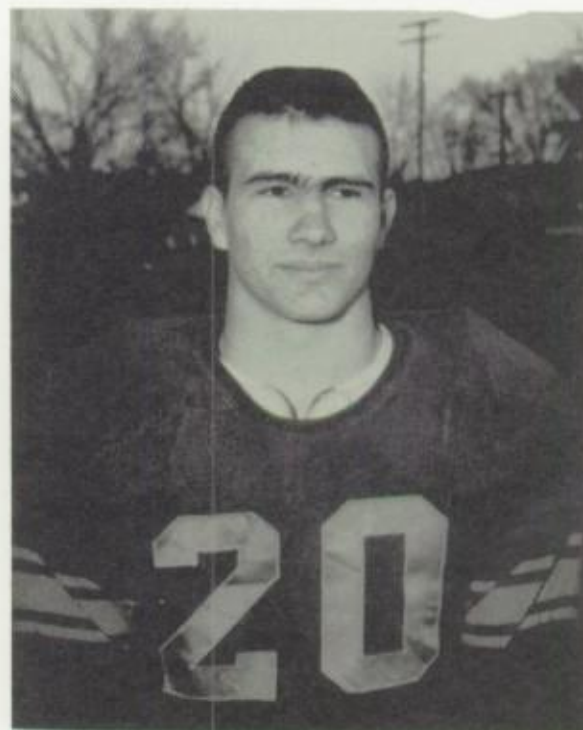
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BUTCH JEFFRIES



JIMMY LETLOW

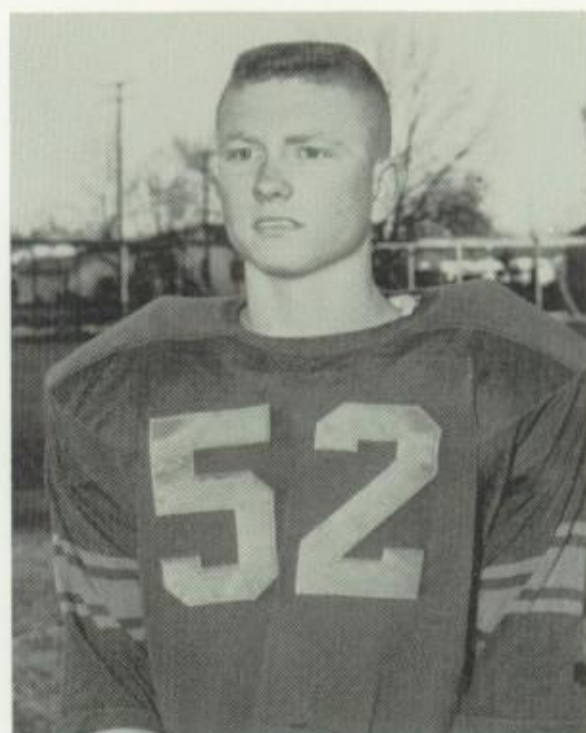


LARRY MILBY

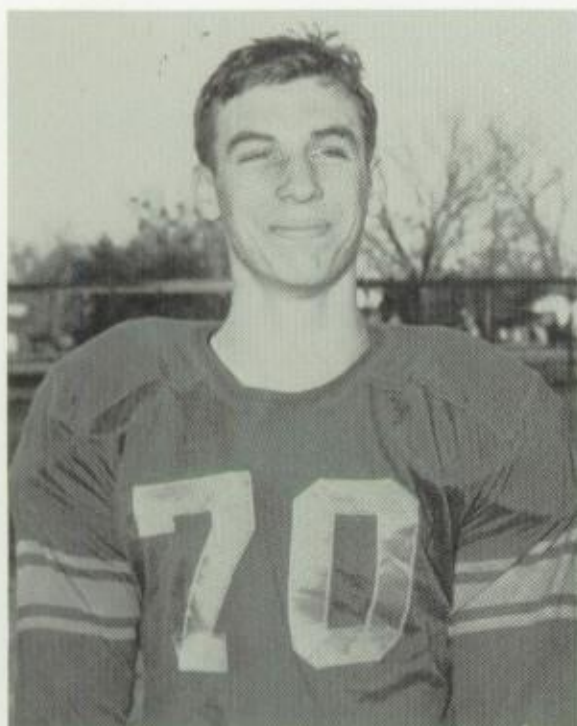


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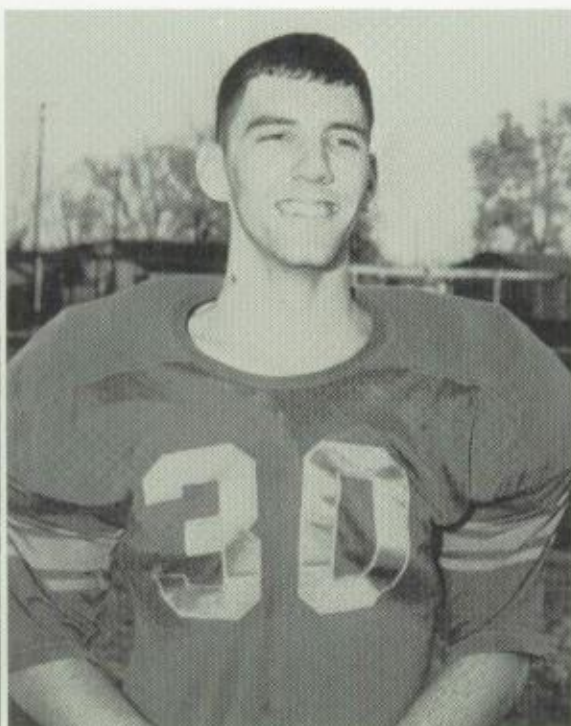
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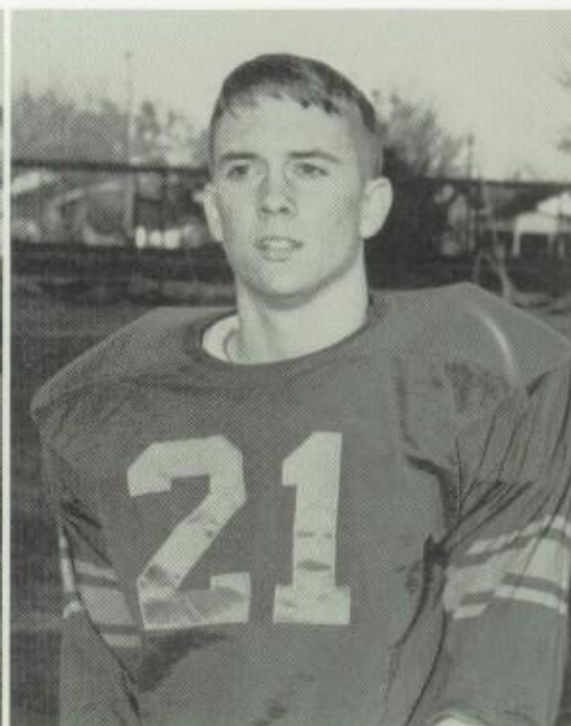
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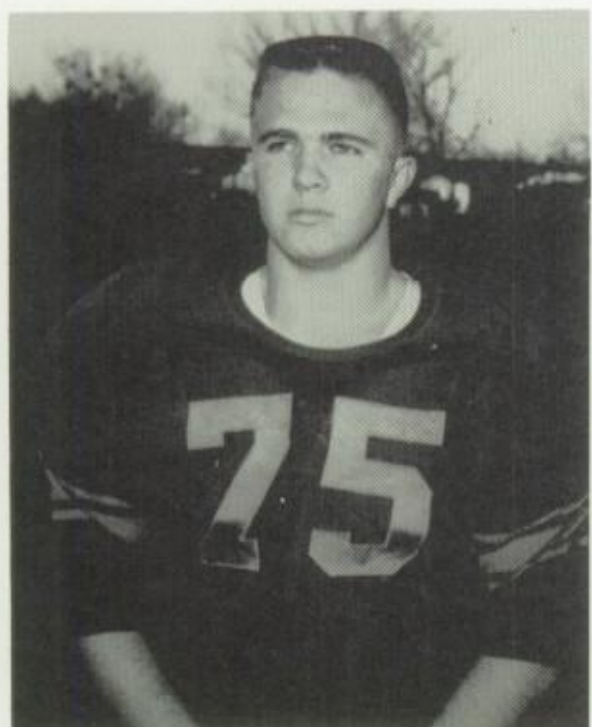
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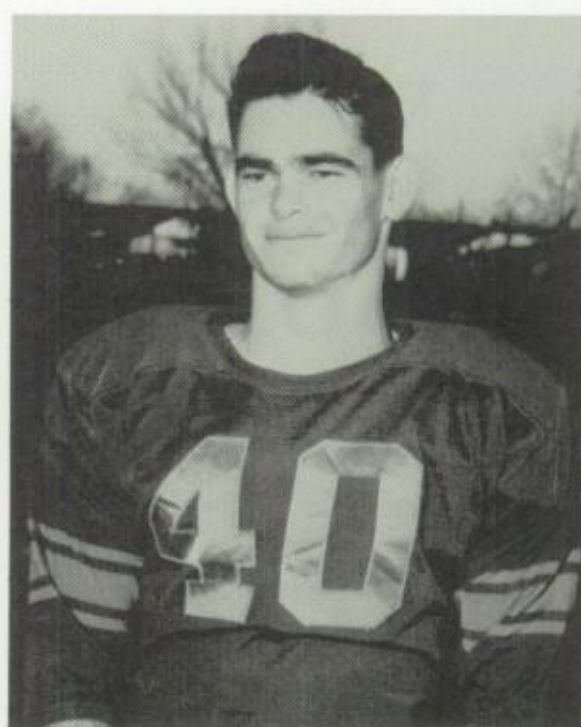
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MIKE COOPER



DONALD CRAWFORD

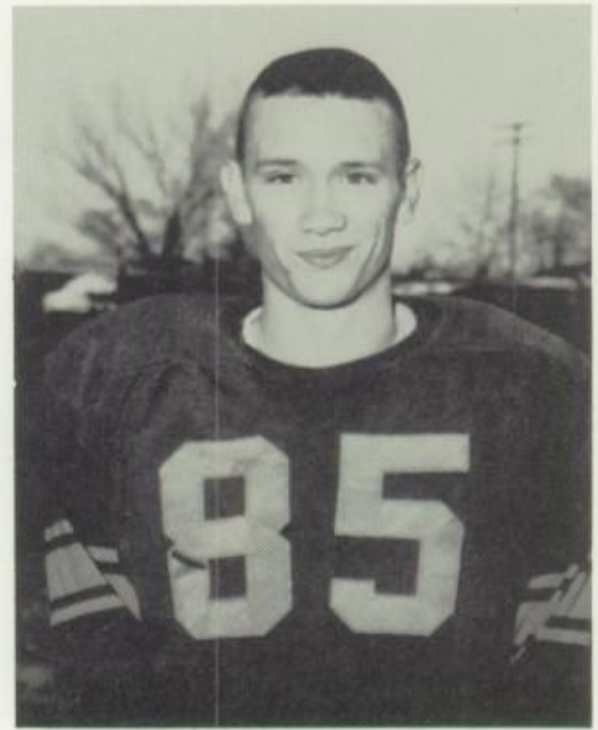


KELLY EVANS



LARRY HEBERT

nee
Animals



BUBBA LANE



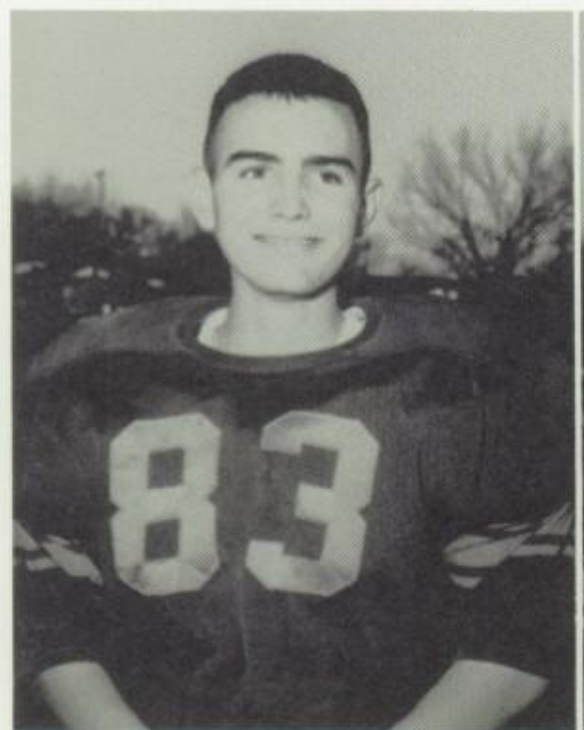
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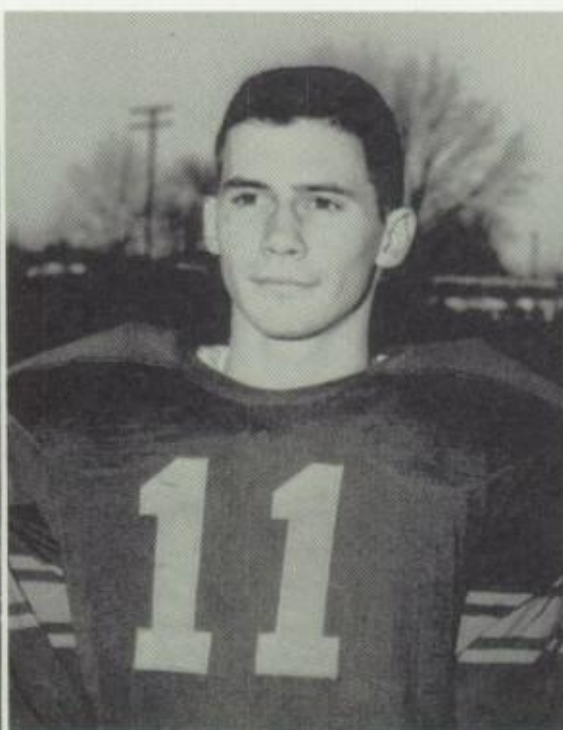
PAUL PARRISH



DARWIN PEOPLES



LARRY SHOEMAKER



DANNY SOREY



TIMMIE RAY THAMES



Homecoming



SENIOR MAID
Lenora Green



QUEEN
Faye Joyner

Court



MAID OF HONOR
Susan Bolton



JUNIOR MAID
Darla Branch



SOPHOMORE MAID
Kathy McBroom



FRESHMAN MAID
Paula Buie

"When It Rains, It Pours . . ."





The Publications float won a first place, finally.

Homecoming Flashes

The Homecoming Parade was composed of floats entered from school and social clubs. The floats shown on this page are typical of the wide variety of ideas exhibited in the parade. Homecoming is a time that present RHS students, as well as graduates, enjoy.



The Foreign Language Club float represented another part of the world.



The beat generation gets into the act.



FFA float urges our team to swing to victory.



Aubrey Quimby was selected all-state in baseball.



FIRST ROW: D. Sorey, B. Murphy, K. Evans, E. Shoemaker, R. Guynes; Coach Beard, S. Livingston, B. Jeffries, J. Letlow, B. Coenen, F. Lambert, C. Noblet, L. Shoemaker, L. Johnson, A. Quimby, D. Cumptom.

1963-64

Track and Baseball

During the 1963-64 baseball season, Rayville played as impressively as they have in former years. The team placed second in the district and went to the state semifinals where they were defeated.

The Rayville track team participated in several meets, including the District meet and the Delta Relays. One of the boys, Johnny Purvis qualified for the state track meet in the 220-yard dash.



In the running events were M. Cooper, C. Bryant, T. Thames, E. Shoemaker, G. Johns, B. Jeffries, J. Cuthbert, K. Hendrix, C. Harris, T. Clanton, B. Lane, and D. Sorey.



In the Field events were E. Chowns, T. Clanton, G. Speight, T. Thames, L. Johnson, B. Lane, and C. Noblet.



ROSEMARY BALL - Guard



JUDY BARTHEL - Guard



JEAN ELLINGTON - Forward



KITTY GREEN - Forward

Girls' Basketball Team



MARTHA HENDERSON - Guard



KATHY McBROOM - Forward



MARIAN POWELL - Guard



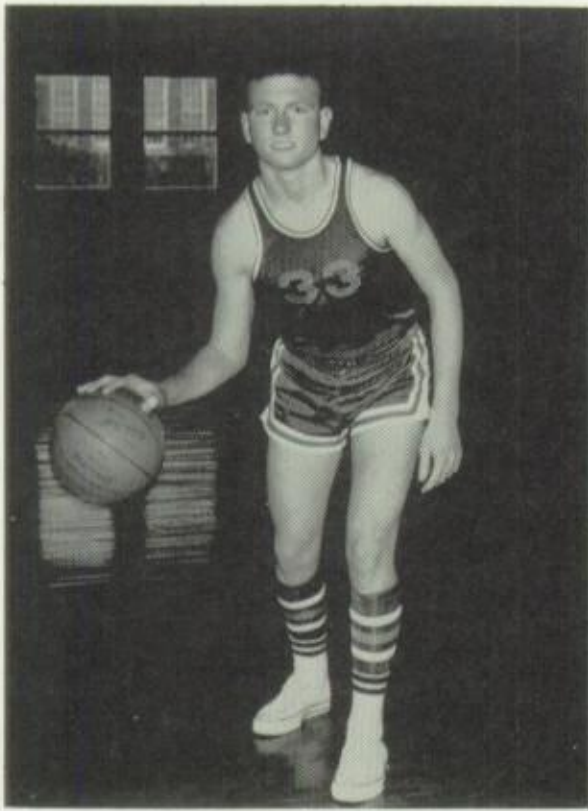
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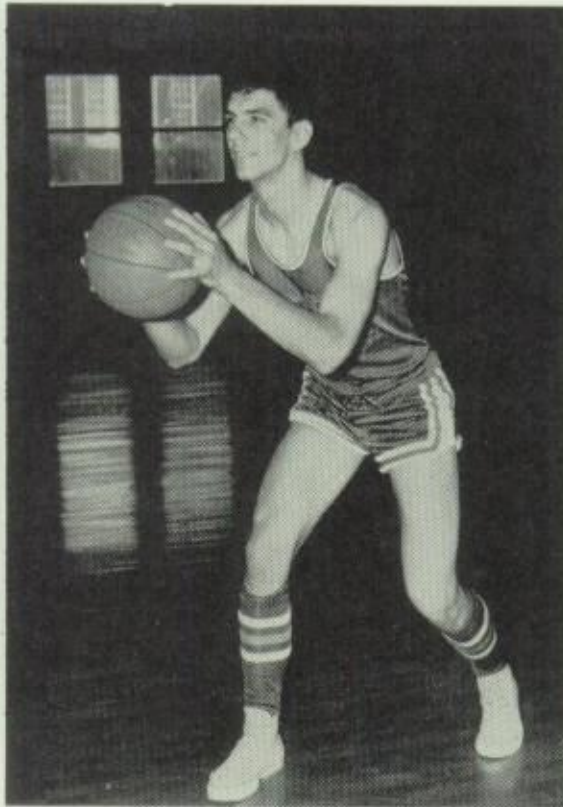
B. Venable, E. Robinson, J. Ellington, M. Powell, J. Barthel, R. Ball, M. Henderson, K. Green, D. Mills, K. McBroom, L. Cochran, Coach Harrell. Not shown are C. Check, L. Templeton, and L. Boles.



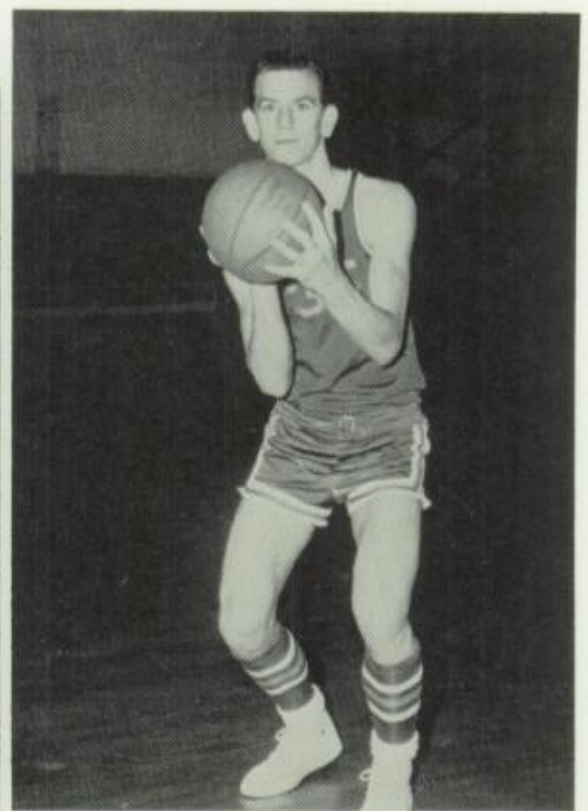
The girls basketball team of Rayville, with a record of 14 wins and 9 losses for the regular season, fought their way to the District Play-Offs. The girls won a first place trophy in the Parish Tournament as well as other trophies. Jean Ellington, team captain, has received All-Tournament trophies in every tournament but one and has been high scorer in every game, averaging 30 points. Rosemary Ball has also won a trophy. The whole team has done a tremendous job in arousing the school spirit and the pride of Rayville for the team that is only two years old.



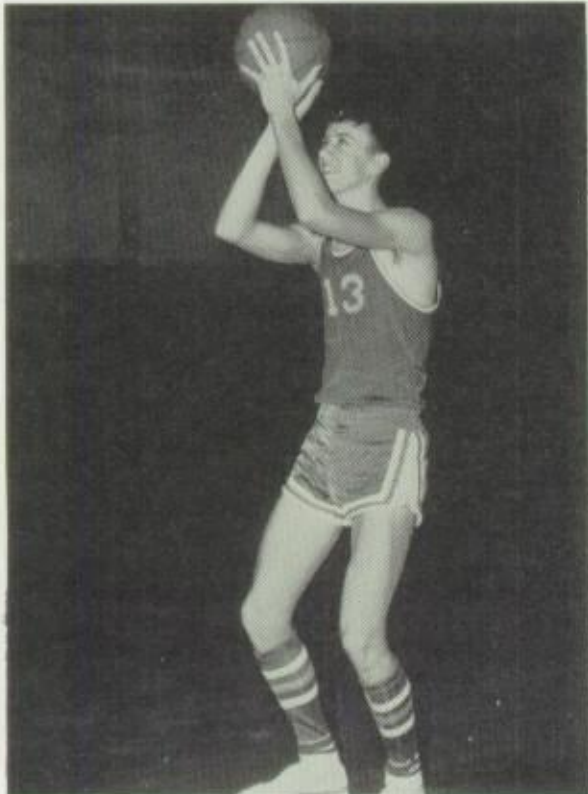
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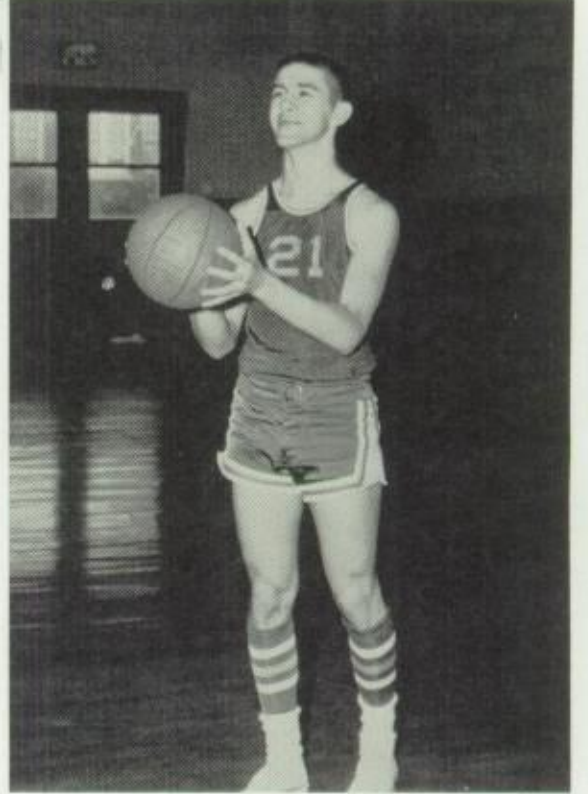


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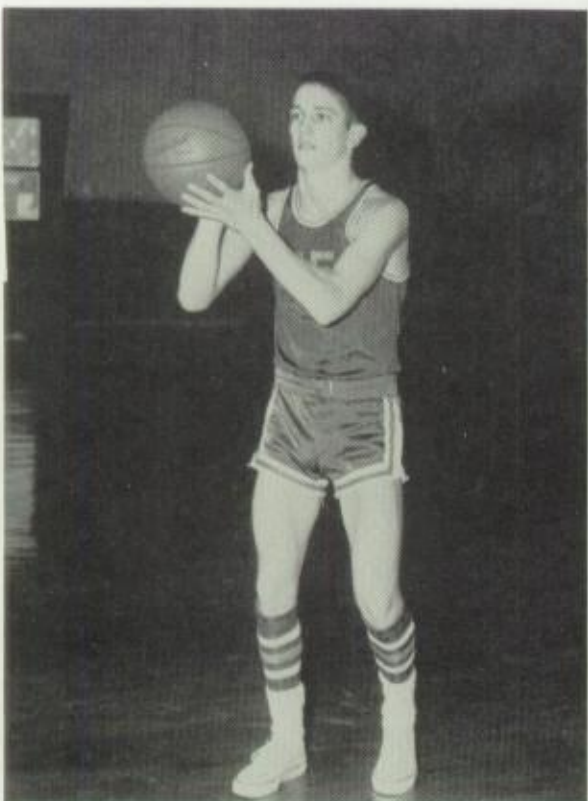


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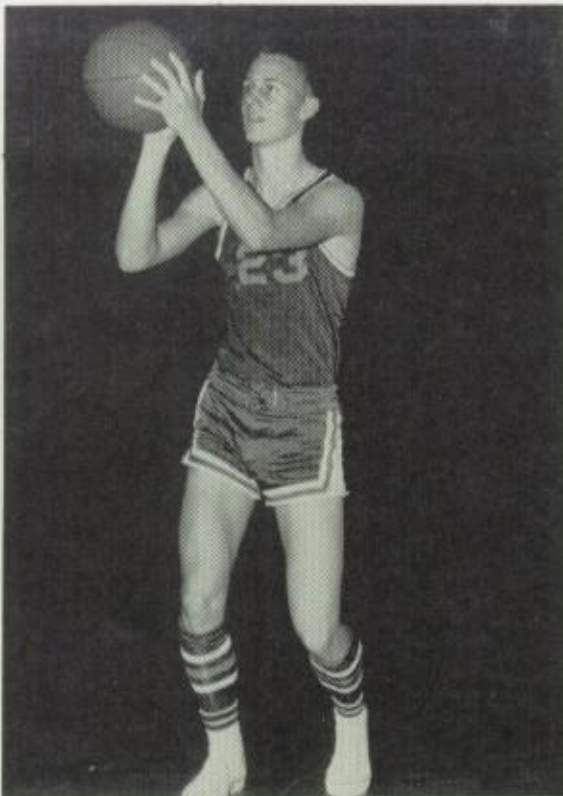
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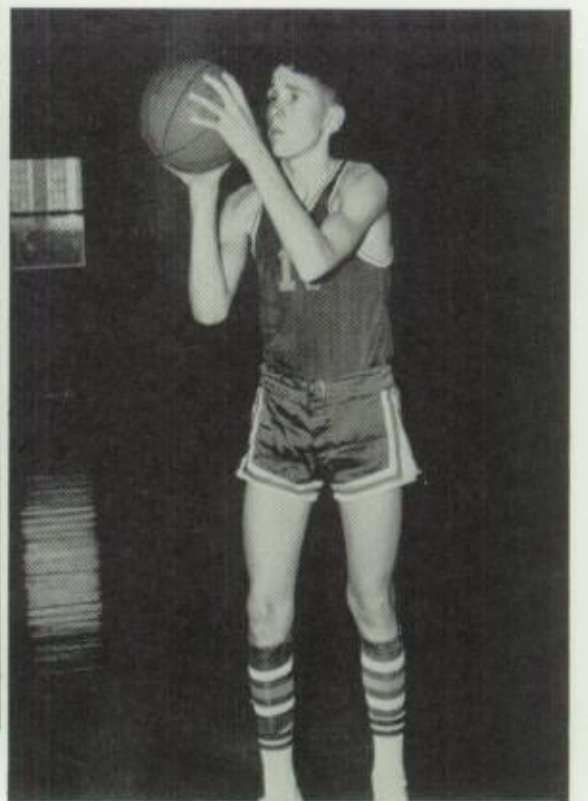
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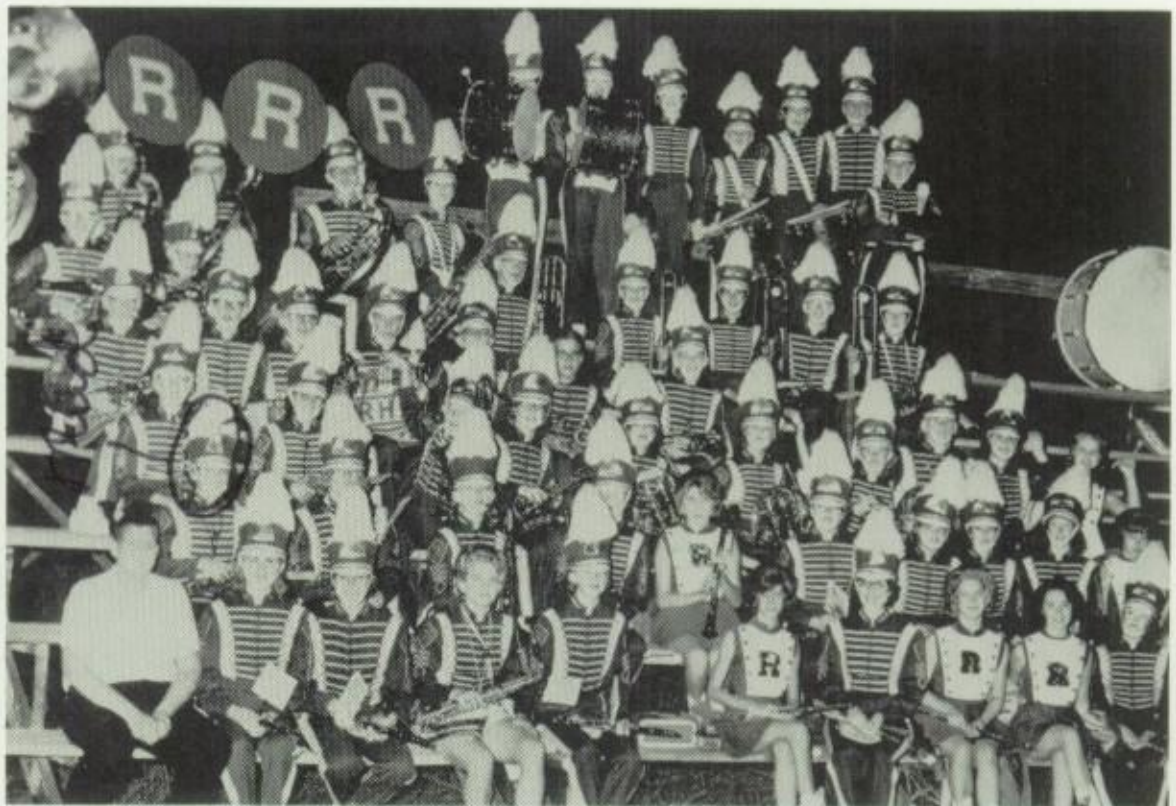


TOP ROW: B. Owens, C. Germany, J. Letlow, B. Jeffries, R. Deville, D. Cumpton. MIDDLE ROW: G. Speight, D. Boyd, L. Shoemaker, B. Cumpton, B. Lane, G. Bolton. BOTTOM ROW: Coach Beard, V. Norman, S. Coenen, R. Gresham, R. Ellington, J. Smith, Mgr.

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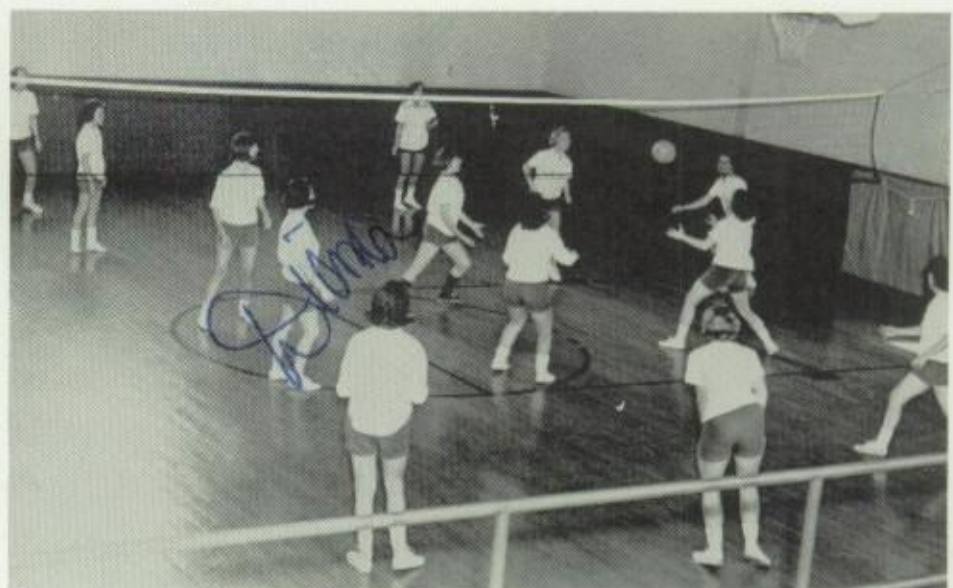
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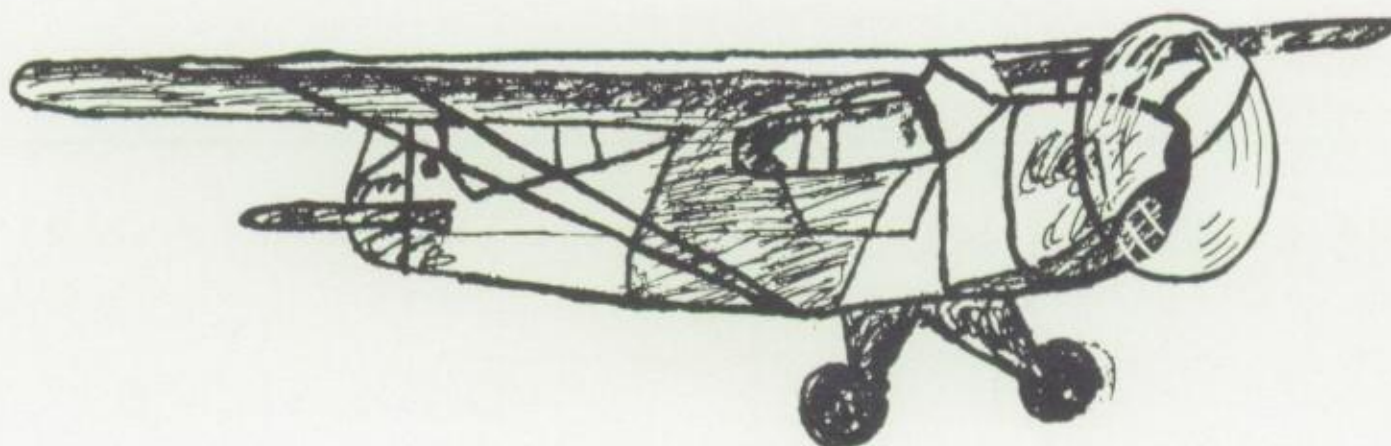
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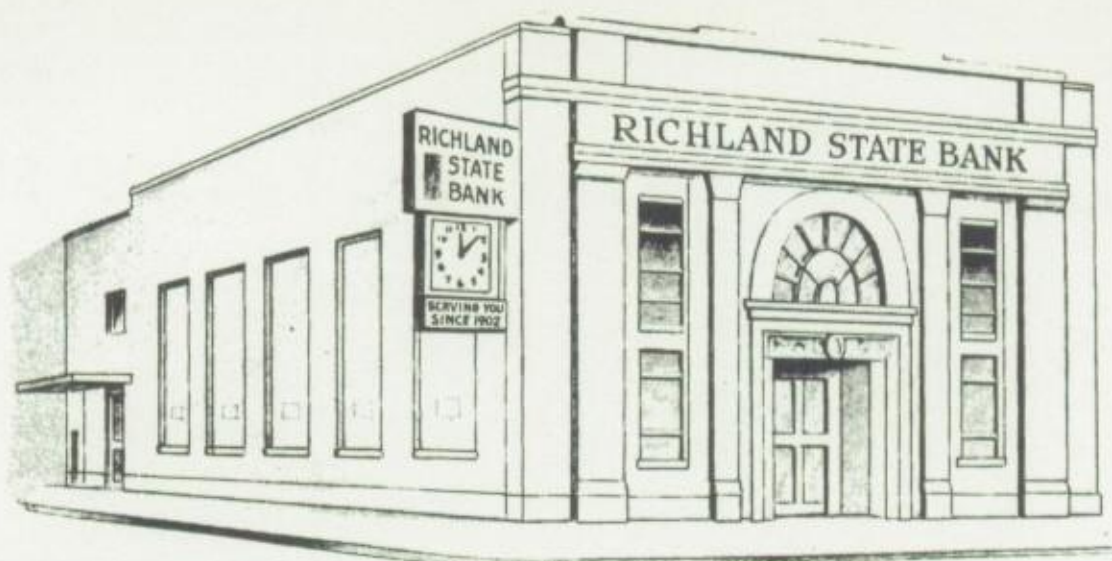
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be careful.
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Bill, my year is
sophomore. Just think,
I must see you will be gone
next year (goodness). I don't know if
I could stand another 2 years with you
Thank you insist on me thanking you
since you insist on me thanking you
I guess I'd better
house
See you next year,
Bill

Bill,
It has been
nice having
speed with
you this year.
It also has
been a ball
working on the
L.H.S. fleet with
you. your a
sweet boy.
May God
bless you
always.
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Dana

What you wrote in my Palmetto was so sweet I just hope I can write something as sweet.

I don't see how we have gone together this long either, but I hope you and I go together a lot longer than before. Sunday I thought about everything we have ever done. All the things we ~~should~~ should not have done, but I do not regret any of them except the night we broke up. I really don't ~~know~~ know what this year would have been without you. Remember the night you and Danny came to the window and Jeanette liked you. You asked me what I was doing Sat. night and I said a Band Party. That night I got with Eddie Ray and Buddy Greer got with you. I have thought about everything we have done and almost started crying because of everything. When we broke up it almost killed me, but when we got to New Orleans I was ~~not~~ not really thinking about anything except about you after a little while and cried. I really missed you. If you ever want to feel free again tell me first and then go out and not behind my back. You do so much behind my back and sometimes you are so mean I really don't know how we are going together. I hope it last longer.

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